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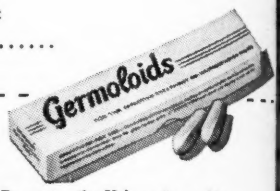

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One for Tutors. May, 1957.

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CONFERENCES :
Conference on W.H.O. Technical Report 105 to be held at The College, 44 Heriot Row, Edinburgh, on Tuesday, 22nd and Wednesday, 23rd January, 1957.

"Design, Function and Finance." 26th, 27th, 28th February, 1957. Edinburgh.

"Leaders or Drivers." A conference on Group Leadership Methods conducted by Dr. Magda Kelber. **22nd-26th March, 1957. St. Andrews.**

Further information about any of the above may be obtained from the Education Officer, 44 Heriot Row, Edinburgh, 3. (x941)

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PUBLIC HEALTH VACANCIES

MONTGOMERYSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Applications are invited for the following post:—

District Nurse/Midwife to serve in the Llanbrynmair District.

Salary in accordance with the National Scales.

Further particulars and forms of application may be obtained from the County Medical Officer of Health, County Health Offices, Newtown, Montgomeryshire.

P. E. WHITE,
Clerk of the County Council.

County Offices, Welshpool.
4th December, 1956. (3269)

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Applications to the County Nursing Superintendent, 27a High Street, Lewes. (3299)

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Bothwellhaugh. Single district. General and Midwifery undertaken. House and car provided.

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County Relief, to undertake combined duties. Motorists essential.

Apply County Superintendent, Q.I.D.N.S., County Health Department, Beckford Street, Hamilton. (3296)

WILTSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Applications are invited for the following superannuable appointments. Whitley Council Salaries.

District Nurse Midwives. Seend, Nr. Devizes. Melksham, Upper Stratton. Wanborough.

Applicants should be motorists. An unfurnished house is provided at Wanborough and also accommodation at Melksham, at Whitley Council charges. The district midwife's salary scale is applicable to the appointment at Stratton.

Relief Nurses. Relief Nurses are required for combined work in County generally; free board and lodging provided when on district. District Midwife's salary scale.

Apply to Clerk of the Council, County Hall, Trowbridge. (3374)

COUNTY LONDONDERRY HEALTH COMMITTEE
APPOINTMENT OF
DISTRICT NURSE/MIDWIVES
AND HEALTH VISITORS

Applications are invited on or before the closing dates indicated for the appointment of (a) a **District Nurse/Midwife** at Coleraine, (31st December, 1956), (b) a **District Nurse/Midwife** at Dungiven, (31st December 1956), and (c) **Health Visitors** in the Limavady Dungiven area (31st December, 1956). Housing accommodation provided for each District Nurse/Midwife.

Forms of application and conditions of service may be had from the Secretary, County Londonderry Health Committee, 1 Castlerock Road, Coleraine. (3375)

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APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED FOR THE FOLLOWING VACANCIES:—

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KENSINGTON DISTRICT NURSING ASSOCIATION (TRAINING HOME). **Second Assistant Superintendent** required. H.V. Certificate preferred. Good experience in administration. Housekeeper employed. Cyclist and preferably motorist.

NURSES

CHARLTON AND BLACKHEATH D.N.A. **District Nurse/Relief Midwife** (Queen's preferred). Resident in Home. Cyclist essential, motorist preferred.

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MANCHESTER D.N.I. HARPURHEY TRAINING HOME. Required, **Queen's Nurses** and **S.R.N.s.** General work only. Apply Superintendent District Nurses' Home, Beech Mount, Manchester, 9.

ST. OLAVE'S, BERMONDSEY. Immediate vacancies for staff. General work only. Cyclists. Resident or non-resident.

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Apply, unless otherwise stated, to the Deputy General Superintendent, Q.I.D.N., 57 Lower Belgrave Street, London, S.W.1. (3423)

QUEEN'S INSTITUTE OF DISTRICT NURSING

STUDENT DISTRICT NURSES FOR QUEEN'S ROLL

State Registered Nurses on the General Register can train in District Nursing for the Queen's Roll in **six months.**

Existing District Nurses (S.R.N.s) having had a minimum of 18 months' experience may train in **four months,** also Nurses who hold the Part II Midwifery or Health Visitor or Tutor's Certificate.

Further particulars may be obtained from the Education Officer, Q.I.D.N., 57 Lower Belgrave Street, London, S.W.1. (3424)

MOORFIELDS WESTMINSTER AND CENTRAL EYE HOSPITAL CITY ROAD, LONDON, E.C.1

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WORCESTERSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Queen's Nursing Course

Training is arranged at any of the Queen's Homes in the country. Candidates undertake to work in Worcestershire for a period of one year. The allowance is in accordance with the Whitley Council recommendations.

Further information from the County Medical Officer, County Buildings, Worcester.

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HACKNEY DISTRICT NURSING ASSOCIATION

S.R.N.s and S.C.M.s for Queen's Training. Vacancies January.

S.R.N.s for Queen's Training. Vacancies March. Resident or non-resident.

Apply Superintendent, 6, Lower Clapton Road, London, E.5. (3224)

PREMATURE BABY NURSING

Applications are invited from State Registered Nurses, State Certified Midwives and Registered Sick Children's Nurses for a three months' course of training in the Premature Baby Unit at the Nightingale Maternity Home, for which a certificate will be given. A shortened course of training of one month can be arranged for experienced midwives.

Applications should be sent to the Matron, Nightingale Maternity Home, London Road, Derby. (3088)

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Information regarding admission to the University to pursue a two year, full-time course of study in preparation for the diploma examination may be obtained from the Registrar at the University.

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Candidates accepted for both courses on 1st December, March, September of each year. Whitley scales of salary. Resident or non-resid particulars from Matron.

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QUEEN'S INSTITUTE OF DISTRICT NURSING

SCOTTISH BRANCH

State Registered Nurses on the General Register can train in District for the Queen's Roll Certificate in **six** months.

Nurses who are also State Certified Midwives or who hold the Health Certificate are eligible to train in **four months.**

Application forms and further particulars can be obtained fr Superintendent, 26 Castle Terrace, Edinburgh.

PUBLIC HEALTH VACANCIES

WORCESTERSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Applications are invited for the following appointments. Salary and co of service according to Whitley Council recommendations. Forms from Medical Officer, County Buildings, Worcester.

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Halesowen Area.

HOME NURSE-MIDWIFE/HEALTH VISITOR

Broadway Area. Furnished cottage available. Car area.
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HOME NURSE-MIDWIFE

Bromsgrove Area. Car area.
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Stourbridge Area. Car area.
Wythall Area. Part-time duty—preferably car driver. No accomm available.

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(Member of Queen's Institute of District Nursing)

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Forms from County Medical Officer, County Hall, Hertford, Herts. (3417)

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HEALTH VISITORS

Batley Area.
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Ripon. Two single districts or double district—suit two friends. Motorists preferred.

HOME NURSES

Doncaster. Rural district.
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Applicants for the posts of Home Nurse-Midwives and Home Nurses should be State Registered Nurses, and State Certified Midwives if for combined duties, preferably with the certificate of an approved course of district training. Consideration will, however, be given to applicants desirous of undertaking Queen's District Training under an Assisted Scheme.

STUDENT DISTRICT NURSES

The County Council invites applications from State Registered Nurses who are anxious of obtaining their Queen's Certificate and preference will be given to those who are also S.C.M. Successful applicants will, on the completion of their training, be required to take up duty in any area of the West Riding.

Application forms and details relating to the above vacancies and also the training of Queen's District Nurses may be obtained from the County Medical Officer, County Hall, Wakefield, Yorkshire. (3416)

ESSEX COUNTY COUNCIL

DOMICILIARY NURSING STAFF

Applications invited for following appointments:
(a) **District Midwife** (Woodford).
(b) **District Midwives** (Harlow New Town). Two vacancies.
(Applicants for (a) and (b) above must be S.R.N., S.C.M.)
(c) **District Nurse** (Woodford). S.R.N., preferably district trained.

Car drivers essential. Unfurnished accommodation posts (a) and (b); accommodation provided post (c).

Application forms from Area Medical Officer, Forest Health Area, Municipal Offices, Woodford, E.18. Canvassing disqualifies. (3358)

NORFOLK COUNTY NURSING ASSOCIATION

Applications are invited from District Nurse-Midwife/Health Visitors, Queen's S.R.N., S.C.M., for the following areas:
Loddon, Nr. Norwich. Rural area. Combined duties. Unfurnished house provided.
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Tilney All Saints, Nr. King's Lynn. Combined duties. Unfurnished house.
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Male Nurse (Queen's) for general nursing in fringe area of Norwich. Joint appointment for married couple if wife Queen's trained. General nursing and midwifery in Costessey area. Unfurnished house provided.
Scholarships available for Health Visitor and Queen's Nurse training with a bond to generalised duties.
Staff needed for relief duties. Holidays or longer periods.
Whitley salary scales and conditions. Motorists—allowance for own vehicle if cars provided.
Apply Superintendent Nursing Officer, 29 Thorpe Road, Norwich. (52)

LUTON DIVISIONAL HEALTH COMMITTEE

APPOINTMENT OF DISTRICT MIDWIFE

Applications are invited from State Certified Midwives for the appointment of **District Midwife** in Luton. Salary in accordance with N.M.C. Circular No. 45. Housing and laundry allowances payable. Housing or hostel accommodation will be provided, as necessary, for the person appointed.

Application forms obtainable from the Divisional Medical Officer, 7 Guildford Street, Luton, and should be returned as soon as possible.

A. D. HARVEY,
Clerk to the Committee.
(3353)

MIDDLESEX COUNTY COUNCIL

COUNTY HEALTH DEPT.

1. **Home Nurses** (female) Area 4 (Finchley and Hendon). Two to reside in furnished accommodation. Must be Gen. S.R.N., pref. district trained. The County Council is member of Q.I.D.N.

2. **Domiciliary Midwife.** Area 4 (Finchley and Hendon). Able to drive car. Furnished house available. Must be S.C.M. and Gen. S.R.N. pref.

3. **Health Visitor/School Nurse** (combined post). (a) Area 4 (Finchley and Hendon). (b) Area 7 (Ealing and Acton). Must be Gen. S.R.N. with H.V. Cert. Alternate Sats. free and non-res.

N.M.C. salary (with London Weighting for posts 3(a) and (b)). Provision for uniform. Posts 1, 2 and 3(a)—apply by 12th January, stating age, quals. and experce., and names of two referees, to Area Medical Officer, Area Health Office, Town Hall, Hendon, N.W.4. Post 3(b)—apply by 12th January, for forms from Joint Area Medical Officer, Town Hall, Ealing, W.5.

WELFARE DEPT.

4. **Enrolled Assistant Nurses** (female, res. or non-res.). Woodlands Park, Woodlands Lane, Stoke D'Abernon, Cobham, Surrey (Home for aged women). N.M.C. salary £374-£490 p.a., plus London Weighting if non-res. If res., £146 p.a. charged for board and lodging, etc., or £41 p.a. if non-res. for meals on duty, uniform, etc.

5. **Matrons' Assistants** (res.) for the following homes for aged and infirm persons: Kingsbury Manor, Kingsbury Road, N.W.9; 79 Bessborough Road, Harrow; Farnham Common House, Farnham Common, Bucks. Duties include attending to needs of residents, maintenance of linen and relieving Matron and other staff as necessary. Salary £260-£305 p.a. plus residential accommodation valued at £170 p.a.

6. **Female Attendants.** Woodlands Park, Woodlands Lane, Stoke D'Abernon, Cobham, Surrey (Home for aged women). Wage 133/6d. p. 48-hr. wk. Protective clothing free. If res. 45/3d. p. wk. charged for board and lodging, etc.

Apply immediately, stating age, quals., prev. experce., and present post to: Posts 4 and 6—Matron of Home concerned. Post 5—Chief Welfare Officer, 1 Queen Anne's Gate Buildings, Dartmouth Street, Westminster, S.W.1, giving names and addresses of three referees.

All posts established, initially in areas/establishments stated, subject to medical assessment and prescribed conditions (quote U.256 N.T.). Canvasing disqualifies. (3429)

ESSEX COUNTY COUNCIL

HEALTH VISITORS

Applications invited for appointments in Aveley, West Thurrock and South Hornchurch districts of South Essex Health Area. Must be cyclists. Combined duties. For Aveley appointment, house available.

Application forms from Area Medical Officer, 34 Cresthill Avenue, Grays. Canvassing disqualifies. (3434)

BUCKS COUNTY COUNCIL

MIDWIFERY AND HOME NURSING SERVICES

Applications are invited for the following posts and courses:

Aylesbury (Southcourt). One **District Nurse-Midwife** required. Small, modern flat available (furnished or unfurnished). Car provided.

Chesham. One **District Nurse-Midwife** required. Double district. Share house (furnished) with present nurse. Car provided.

Edlesborough (Nr. Ivinghoe). One **District Nurse-Midwife/Health Visitor** required. Accommodation and car provided. House later.

Farnham Royal (Nr. Slough). Two **District Nurse-Midwives** required for development area. Two adjoining new houses under course of construction (furnished or unfurnished). Cars provided.

Wolverton. Two **District Nurse-Midwives** required. Suitable for friends. House and cars provided.

Queen's District Training Courses. Training is arranged with the Queen's Institute of District Nursing. Four months' course commencing first weeks in January, May and September, 1957. Candidates undertake to work in Buckinghamshire for a period of one year.

Apply County Medical Officer, County Offices, Aylesbury. (3436)

ESSEX COUNTY COUNCIL

Applications invited for posts of **District Nurse-Midwife** in (a) Sandon and Great Baddow district; (b) Roxwell district; (c) Downham district; and (d) Thaxted district of Mid-Essex Health Area. Unfurnished accommodation available. Applicants must be S.R.N., S.C.M., preferably with district training, and car drivers. Nationally negotiated salaries and conditions of service. Medical examination. Superannuation.

Application forms from Area Medical Officer, 75 Springfield Road, Chelmsford. Canvassing disqualifies. (3357)

BRECONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
(In membership with the Queen's Institute of District Nursing)

APPOINTMENT OF DISTRICT NURSE-MIDWIVES

Applications are invited for three posts of **Group Relief Nurse-Midwives** (with possibility of employment in a district at a later date).

Applicants must be S.R.N. and S.C.M. A car is essential in each appointment (a scheme for the assisted purchase of a car is available). Whitley salary and conditions of service. An additional allowance is made to relief nurses. Uniform is provided to the value of £20 per annum. It is possible that council houses will be available for successful candidates.

Forms of application can be obtained from the County Medical Officer, Health Department, Watton Offices, Brecon, and should be returned within two weeks of the appearance of this advertisement. (3329)

ESSEX COUNTY COUNCIL

HEALTH VISITORS/SCHOOL NURSES

Applications invited for above posts in Harlow, Buckhurst Hill and Chingford districts of Forest Health Area. Cyclists required. Unfurnished house available for Harlow appointment.

Application forms from Area Medical Officer, Municipal Offices, Woodford, E.18. Canvassing disqualifies. (3433)

NORTH RIDING COUNTY COUNCIL

APPOINTMENT OF NURSING STAFF

District Nurse-Midwife/Health Visitor for generalised duties for each of the following districts:— Bowes, Nr. Barnard Castle. Croft, Nr. Darlington. Yarm, Nr. Stockton-on-Tees. Unfurnished houses available. Car drivers.

District Nurse-Midwives, S.R.N., S.C.M., for midwifery and home nursing duties for Scalby and Eastfield districts of Scarborough, and for Thornaby-on-Tees.

Domiciliary Midwives, S.R.N., S.C.M., for midwifery duties in South Bank district. Unfurnished flat or unfurnished house available.

Relief District Nurse-Midwives, for duty in administrative area. Car drivers essential.

Qualified Health Visitors required for Thornaby, Eston and Guisborough areas for health visiting and school nursing. Unfurnished flat in Eston area if required.

Whitley Council salary scales apply. Appointments superannuable and subject to medical examination.

Forms of application and further details from the County Medical Officer, County Hall, Northallerton.

H. G. THORNLEY,
Clerk of the County Council.

13th December, 1956. (3407)

ESSEX COUNTY HEALTH SERVICES DAGENHAM HEALTH AREA

APPOINTMENT OF MIDWIFE

State Certificate Midwife required for employment in the domiciliary midwifery service of the area. Post superannuable; medical examination.

Nurses' and Midwives' Council salary scale and service conditions. Unfurnished accommodation available.

Forms of application obtainable from the Area Medical Officer, Civic Centre, Dagenham, to whom they must be returned within fourteen days from the date of the appearance of this advertisement.

KEITH LAUDER,
Area Clerk.

Civic Centre, Dagenham. (3414)

WESTMORLAND COUNTY COUNCIL

Kendal. **Health Visitor** required for general health visiting duties. Car provided and lodgings available.

Apply to Medical Officer of Health, County Hall, Kendal. (3350)

ESSEX COUNTY COUNCIL

Health Visitors required. Salary and other conditions of service in accordance with nationally negotiated agreements.

Application forms obtainable from County Medical Officer of Health, County Hall, Chelmsford. Apply immediately. (x95)

COUNTY BOROUGH OF DEWSBURY

APPOINTMENT OF
DOMICILIARY MIDWIFE

Applications are invited for the above post.

Candidates must be State Registered Nurses and State Certified Midwives.

The salary will be in accordance with the Whitley Councils Scale and the appointment is superannuable. Housing accommodation will be provided.

Forms of application may be obtained from the undersigned, to whom they should be returned not later than 7th January, 1957.

T. W. ROBSON,
Medical Officer of Health.

Public Health Department,
Municipal Buildings, Halifax Road,
Dewsbury. (3326)

EAST RIDING OF YORKSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Applications are invited for the post of **Health Visitor/School Nurse/Tuberculosis Visitor** to serve in the Withernsea area.

Candidates must be qualified in accordance with the Regulations of the Ministry of Health and should be able to drive a car. The appointment will be superannuable.

The salary and conditions of service will be in accordance with recommendations of the Nurses' and Midwives' Council.

Applicrtions on forms, obtainable from the County Medical Officer, County Hall, Beverley, should be returned to him not later than 9th January, 1957.

THOMAS STEPHENSON,
Clerk of the Council.

County Hall, Beverley.
10th December, 1956. (3391)

DENBIGHSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Applications are invited for the post of **Health Visitor/School Nurse** in the Gresford area, Nr. Wrexham.

Applicants must possess the Health Visitor's Certificate of the Royal Sanitary Institute.

Whitley Council conditions of service and car allowance payable in accordance with the County Council's scale.

Forms of application can be obtained from the County Medical Officer, County Health Offices, 16 Grosvenor Road, Wrexham, to whom they should be returned by not later than 21st January, 1957.

W. E. BUFTON,
Clerk of the County Council.

County Offices, Ruthin. (3392)

LINDSEY COUNTY COUNCIL

HEALTH COMMITTEE

(In membership with the Queen's Institute of District Nursing)

District Nurse-Midwife (S.R.N., S.C.M.) preferably with district training, required for North Thoresby District. Salary in accordance with scale recommended by Whitley Council for Nurses and Midwives. Commencing salary determined having regard to qualifications and experience of person appointed. Car driver essential; car provided by County Council.

Forms of application may be obtained from the undersigned.

C. D. CORMAC,
County Medical Officer of Health.

P.O. Box 26,
County Offices, Lincoln.
4.12.56. (3283)

ESSEX COUNTY COUNCIL

HEALTH VISITOR

Applications are invited for above-mentioned appointment in the Wickford district of South-East Essex Health Area. Duties include school nursing and tuberculosis visiting.

Application form from Area Medical Officer, 153 High Street, Rayleigh, Essex. Canvassing disqualifies. (3317)

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

HOME NURSING AND MIDWIFERY SERVICE

Highclere (rural area near Newbury). **District Nurse-Midwife/Health Visitor** required. New three-bedroomed house available. Car provided or allowance for use of own. Salary in accordance with Whitley Council scales.

For further particulars and form of application, please apply to the County Medical Officer, The Castle, Winchester. (3321)

COMPTON, STOUGHTON AND FORESTSIDE, SHIPLEY

District Nurse-Midwife/Health Visitors required to undertake generalised duties in the above areas. District training preferred. Furnished or unfurnished bungalows. Cars provided.

Salary and conditions of service will be in accordance with the Whitley Council's recommendations. The successful candidates will be required to pass a medical examination and the appointment will be terminable by one month's notice on either side.

Application forms may be obtained from the County Medical Officer, County Hall, Chichester.

T. C. HAYWARD,
Clerk of the County Council.
(3361)

HOSPITAL AND OTHER NURSING VACANCIES

THE ROYAL HOSPITAL (WOMEN'S BRANCH) WOLVERHAMPTON

(90 beds)
OBSTETRICAL, GYNAECOLOGICAL AND
PREMATURE BABY UNIT

Applications invited for post of **Matron,** Women's Hospital. Part I Midwifery Training School. Gynaecological beds and Premature Baby Unit. Salary £710-£845 p.a.

Applications, with names of three referees, to Group Secretary, Royal Hospital, Wolverhampton, by 31st December, 1956. (3202)

SELLY OAK HOSPITAL

(1,055 beds)

DEPUTY MATRON

Applications are invited from suitably qualified candidates for the above post. Nursing Administration (Hospital) Certificate of Royal College of Nursing an advantage. Administrative experience essential. Hospital comprises acute general and chronic sick wards and is recognised by General Nursing Council as:

(a) Complete General Training School for male and female Student Nurses.
(b) Parent School of Group Scheme for General Training.
(c) Assistant Nurse Training School for male and female Pupil Assistant Nurses, and by Central Midwives' Board as Part I Midwifery Training School.

Salary £745 x £20 (6)—£865, less residential charges of £193 per annum. Nurses' and Midwives' Whitley Council conditions of service and Health Service's Superannuation Scheme applicable.

Applications giving full particulars of age, education, qualifications and experience, with names of three referees, should be made as soon as possible to Secretary, Birmingham (Selly Oak) H.M.C., Oak Tree Lane, Selly Oak, Birmingham, 29, from whom further information concerning the hospital may be obtained. (3327)

Wandsworth Hospital Group
ST. JAMES' HOSPITAL, SARSFELD ROAD, BALHAM, S.W.12

(Recognised General and Midwifery Training School—600 beds)

DEPUTY MATRON

Applications are invited from State Registered Nurses under the age of 40, who are State Certified Midwives, for the above resident post. Experience in the nursing administration of a general training school is essential.

The salary will be £745 by £20 (6) to £865 p.a., with a deduction of £193 for residential accommodation.

Applications giving full details of age, qualifications and experience, with three names for reference, should be sent to the Group Secretary at above address. (3318)

HIGHCROFT HALL HOSPITAL
ERDINGTON, BIRMINGHAM, 23

Senior Assistant Matron. Resident or non-resident. S.R.N. and R.M.N. essential. Salary £602-£730 per annum, less £176 if resident.

Apply Matron. (3210)

OCCUPATIONAL HE[illegible] NURSING VACANC[illegible]

Nurses in all branches of [illegible] Health Nursing will find the [illegible] **Industrial Nurses"** valuable and [illegible] Published quarterly by the "[illegible] Macmillan & Co. Ltd., St Ma[illegible] London, W.C.2., price 4/-; annual [illegible] 15/-. Free specimen copy sent on [illegible] to the Manager, stating post [illegible]

Imperial Chemical Industries (Dyestuffs Division), have a vac[illegible] **Nurse** in their factory at Hudd[illegible] didates should be women, betw[illegible] five and thirty-five years of a[illegible] general education, and State Regis[illegible] industrial experience would be a[illegible] 44-hour week; shift work wi[illegible] system for which a disturbance [illegible] payable. Applications giving fu[illegible] should be addressed to Staff [illegible] Hexagon House, Blackley, Man[illegible]

R.N. PROPELLANT FACT[illegible] CAERWENT, CHEPSTOW, [illegible]

Applications for post of [illegible] are invited from S.R.N.s, pref[illegible] Industrial Nursing experience.

Salary range £488—£615 per [illegible] salary dependent on former [illegible] National Health Service, or full-ti[illegible] nursing service.

The post is residential, sing[illegible] accommodation being provided [illegible] rent, and entails working shifts.

Further particulars on applica[illegible] age, qualifications and experience [illegible] intendent.

Nursing Sister with industrial [illegible] required by The British Drug H[illegible] for their Medical Service Depart[illegible] day week, pension and profit shar[illegible]

Apply in writing, stating [illegible] perience, to Staff Manager, Gre[illegible] City Road, N.1.

NORTH THAMES GAS BO[illegible]

Has a vacancy for an Indu[illegible] (female) at the Gas Works, K[illegible] W.10.

Applicants should be State Re[illegible] the possession of an Industrial N[illegible] ficate or previous industrial expe[illegible] be an advantage.

Starting salary within the ra[illegible] to £615 p.a., according to age, [illegible] and experience. Uniform allow[illegible]

Applications giving full particu[illegible] fications, age, present and past [illegible] and also names and addresses [illegible] referees, should be sent to the Sta[illegible] North Thames Gas Board, 30 [illegible] Church Street, W.8, quoting [illegible] 666/409.

NATIONAL COAL BOA[illegible] SCOTTISH DIVISION

Industrial Nurse required [illegible] Colliery, near Lochgelly, Fife. [illegible] tration essential; Industrial ex[illegible] advantage.

Salary scale £460 x £20—£[illegible] uniform and laundry allowance [illegible] an additional payment of £30 p.a. [illegible] holders of the I.N.C. The start[illegible] the scale will be determined by [illegible] cations and experience.

Applications, giving full det[illegible] education, qualifications, experie[illegible] post and salary, to Divisional [illegible] Officer, 3 Eglinton Crescent, Ed[illegible]

Applications are invited from [illegible] tered Nurses for the post of Sis[illegible] of the medical department of a [illegible] producing factory at Acton, W[illegible] 3,000 employees; nursing staff fo[illegible] Occupational Health Nursing [illegible] sound occupational health nurs[illegible] essential. Good salary based on [illegible] of Nursing scale and previous [illegible] Uniform provided. Superannua[illegible]

Applications, giving age, qual[illegible] experience, to Principal Nurs[illegible] Unilever Ltd., Unilever House, [illegible] London, E.C.4.

HOSPITAL AND OT[illegible] NURSING VACANC[illegible]

Applications are invited for [illegible] **Matron at Ashburton and [illegible] Hospital, Ashburton, S. Devon.**

The hospital is a General Pra[illegible] pital of 15 beds for acute [illegible] surgical patients, and is situate[illegible] rural surroundings. The hospit[illegible] fully equipped Operating Thea[illegible] sultants in medicine visit as [illegible] Consultants in surgery have re[illegible] at this hospital.

Salary £650—£730 p.a. in ac[illegible] Whitley Council conditions of s[illegible]

Canvassing either directly o[illegible] will disqualify.

Applications, stating age, [illegible] qualifications, present position [illegible] details of past experience, and wi[illegible] and addresses of three referees, [illegible] Secretary, Torquay District Hosp[illegible] ment Committee, Torbay Hospit[illegible] S. Devon, not later than 29[illegible] 1956.

WESTERN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD, SCOTLAND

NURSING STAFF VACANCIES

EPUTY MATRONS

BIRKWOOD INSTITUTION, Lesmahagow, Lanarkshire (234 beds). Qualified general and mental deficiency nursing

KIRKLANDS INSTITUTION, Bothwell, Lanarkshire (220 beds). Qualified in eral and mental deficiency nursing.

SSISTANT MATRONS

STIRLING ROYAL INFIRMARY, Stirling (284 beds). Complete General ining School and Training School for Parts I and II Midwifery. Post vacant bruary, 1957. Resident. Candidates must be R.G.N., S.C.M., and have had e administrative experience. Salary scale £590 x £20—£690 per annum less 76 per annum for emoluments.

CALDWELL HOUSE INSTITUTION, Uplawmoor, Renfrewshire (M.D.—beds). Must possess R.M.P.A and S.R.N. or equivalent. Applications to the retary and Treasurer, Board of Management for Lennox Castle and Associated titutions, 113 Douglas Street, Glasgow, C.2.

BIRKWOOD INSTITUTION, Lesmahagow, Lanarkshire (234 beds). Qualified eneral and mental deficiency nursing.

BELLSDYKE MENTAL HOSPITAL, Larbert, Stirlingshire (1,258 beds). Mental and general qualifications. All modern treatments carried out. Well oped teaching unit.

STER TUTOR

RUCHILL HOSPITAL, Glasgow, N.W. (710 beds). Training School for er and T.A. Certificates. Preferably qualified. Modern and well-equipped ching department. Resident or non-resident.

TOR (MALE or FEMALE)

GREENOCK ROYAL INFIRMARY, LARKFIELD HOSPITAL and DUNCAN PHERSON HOSPITAL, 2 Duncan Street, Greenock (300 beds). Training ol—with certificate preferred.

DWIFERY SISTER

CRAIGARD MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Campbeltown, Argyll (14 beds).

AFF MIDWIVES

STOBHILL GENERAL HOSPITAL, Glasgow, N.1. For Maternity Department. lication forms from Matron.

ROBROYSTON HOSPITAL, Glasgow, E.3. R.G.N., S.C.M. Full-time or time.

LENNOX CASTLE MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Lennoxtown, Nr. Glasgow. N. and S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

CRAIGARD MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Campbeltown, Argyll (14 beds).

AIRTHREY CASTLE MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Bridge of Allan (30 beds). I Training School. S.R.N. or R.G.N. and S.C.M. or S.C.M. only.

FALKIRK AND DISTRICT ROYAL INFIRMARY, Major's Loan, Falkirk beds). Unit of 50 beds.

BRAEHOLM MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Helensburgh. For clinics.

OVERTOUN MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Dumbarton. Training School for the B. Certificate Parts I and II.

DRUMLEY HOUSE, Annbank, Ayrshire

PAISLEY AND DISTRICT MATERNITY UNIT. Midwifery Training School, I and II. Apply Matron, Thornhill Maternity Hospital, Johnstone.

GHT SUPERINTENDENTS

SCHAW HOME, Bearsden. Sole charge.

BELVIDERE HOSPITAL, London Road, Glasgow, E.1 (644 beds). R.F.N., N.

EATRE SISTERS

LAW HOSPITAL, Carluke, Lanarkshire (800 beds). Complete Training ol—S.R.N. or R.G.N. Two. Experience of theatre work essential. Resident or esident. Alternate day and night duty.

GREENOCK ROYAL INFIRMARY, LARKFIELD HOSPITAL and DUNCAN PHERSON HOSPITAL, 2 Duncan Street, Greenock (300 beds). Training ol. Night Theatre Sister.

ME SISTER

AYRSHIRE CENTRAL HOSPITAL, Irvine (460 beds). Infectious Diseases on. Training School for Fever and T.A. Cetificates. R.G.N., R.F.N. icates necessary. Resident. Home and night relief duties.

ARD SISTERS

LADY HOME COTTAGE HOSPITAL, Douglas, Lanarkshire (22 beds, ding 6 maternity). S.C.M. or C.M.B. for general department.

STIRLING ROYAL INFIRMARY, Livilands, Stirling (284 beds). Complete al Training School and Training School for Parts I and II Midwifery. For almic Ward; also Ward Sister for Surgical Ward.

THE ROYAL SCOTTISH NATIONAL INSTITUTION, Larbert, Stirlingshire. le staff. M.D. Certificate. Good residential quarters for single sta I.

DUMBARTON JOINT I.D. HOSPITAL, Dumbarton (45 beds).

HEATHFIELD HOSPITAL, Ayr (144 beds). R.G.N. for Male Chest Ward of eds.

AYR WELFARE HOME, Ayr (69 beds). Chronic sick. Preferably resident. ecy 1st January, 1957.

GHT SISTERS

AIRTHREY CASTLE MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Bridge of Allan (30 beds). I Training School. S.R.N. or R.G.N. and S.C.M.

VALE OF LEVEN HOSPITAL, Alexandria, Dunbartonshire. This is a new tal.

HAIRMYRES HOSPITAL, East Kilbride (760 beds). Night Sister required of three) with Night Superintendent and preferably with Ward Sister's ence.

STOBHILL GENERAL HOSPITAL, Glasgow, N.1. For general part of the tal. Application forms from Matron.

MEARNSKIRK HOSPITAL, Newton Mearns, Renfrewshire (732 beds). le staff. Required for duty spells of three months alternating with Home Sister.

COATBRIDGE AND AIRDRIE MATERNITY HOSPITAL. R.G.N. and S.C.M. time. Resident or non-resident. Further particulars apply Matron, Airdrie e, Airdrie.

PHILIPSHILL AUXILIARY HOSPITAL, Busby, Lanarkshire (180 beds). Matron, Victoria Infirmary, Glasgow.

ARGE SISTERS

BALLOCHMYLE HOSPITAL, Mauchline, Ayrshire (301 beds). General.

SISTERS

KILLEARN HOSPITAL, Killearn, by Glasgow (404 beds). Sister (one of two) for Male Neurosurgical Ward. Neurosurgical experience desirable but not essential.

STAFF NURSES

VALE OF LEVEN HOSPITAL, Alexandria, Dunbartonshire. This is a new hospital.

GREENOCK ROYAL INFIRMARY, LARKFIELD HOSPITAL and DUNCAN McPHERSON HOSPITAL, 2 Duncan Street, Greenock (300 beds). Training School.

AYRSHIRE CENTRAL HOSPITAL, Irvine (460 beds). Training School for Fever and T.A. Certificates. For I.D. Section. R.G.N., R.F.N. or T.A. Certificates necessary.

MEARNSKIRK HOSPITAL, Newton Mearns, Renfrewshire (732 beds). Female staff. General, Fever or B.T.A. Certificate.

KIRKLANDSIDE HOSPITAL, by Kilmarnock.

ROYAL SAMARITAN HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN, Coplaw Street, Glasgow, S.2. Largest gynaecological hospital in U.K

COTTAGE HOSPITAL, Campbeltown, Argyll (General—18 beds).

LAW HOSPITAL, Carluke, Lanarkshire (800 beds). Complete Training School. For Medical and Surgical Wards. Resident or non-resident. Alternate day and night duty.

LOCKHART HOSPITAL, Lanark (26 beds). S.R.N. or R.G.N., S.C.M. for General Department.

FALKIRK AND DISTRICT ROYAL INFIRMARY, Major's Loan, Falkirk (270 beds). For Theatre and General Wards. Immediate vacancies; further particulars from Matron.

CLACKMANNAN COUNTY HOSPITAL, Alloa (Surgical—42 beds). S.R.N./R.G.N. for theatre duty.

AYR WELFARE HOME, Ayr (69 beds). Chronic sick. S.R.N. or R.G.N. Forty-eight hour week. Resident or non-resident.

BALLOCHMYLE HOSPITAL, Mauchline, Ayrshire (301 beds). General. For theatre work and Medical and Surgical Wards.

AYR COUNTY AND HEATHFIELD HOSPITALS, Ayr (General—266—total beddage). Apply to Matron, Ayr County Hospital, Ayr.

ELDER COTTAGE HOSPITAL, Glasgow, S.W.1 (Medical and Surgical—30 beds). Resident or non-resident.

AIRTHREY CASTLE MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Bridge of Allan (30 beds). Part I Training School. S.R.N. or R.G.N. and S.C.M., or S.C.M. only.

STOBHILL GENERAL HOSPITAL, Glasgow, N.1. For Theatre, Surgical, Medical and Paediatric Wards. Application forms from Matron.

ROBROYSTON HOSPITAL, Glasgow, E.3. R.G.N. (experienced) for Geriatric Ward (female) to be opened shortly; also Staff Nurses (male and female). R.G.N. or R.F.N. or B.T.A. Certificate. Opportunity to take post-graduate B.T.A. training (R.G.N., one year. R.F.N., two years). Full-time or part-time vacancies.

THE ROYAL SCOTTISH NATIONAL INSTITUTION, Larbert, Stirlingshire. Male and female staff. M.D. Certificate. Good residential quarters for single staff.

CUNINGHAM HOME, Irvine.

COATBRIDGE AND AIRDRIE MATERNITY HOSPITAL. Part-time. Further particulars, apply Matron, Airdrie House, Airdrie.

GLASGOW HOMOEOPATHIC HOSPITAL, 1,000 Great Western Road, Glasgow, W.2. Resident or non-resident. Telephone: WEStern 382.

COUNTY SANATORIUM, Oban (59 beds). General and fever trained (two). Resident or non-resident.

POST-GRADUATE TRAINING

GLENAFTON HOSPITAL, New Cumnock, Ayrshire. Facilities for one year's post-graduate training for B.T.A. Certificate.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

AYRSHIRE CENTRAL HOSPITAL, Irvine (460 beds). Training School for Fever and T.A. Certificate. For I.D. Section.

AYR COUNTY AND HEATHFIELD HOSPITALS, Ayr (General—266—total beddage). Apply Matron, Ayr County Hospital, Ayr.

KIRKLANDSIDE HOSPITAL, by Kilmarnock.

MEARNSKIRK HOSPITAL, Newton Mearns, Renfrewshire (732 beds).

ROBROYSTON HOSPITAL, Glasgow, E.3. Male and female staff required, opportunity to take B.T.A. course of training (two years); also part-time vacancies.

ROYAL SAMARITAN HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN, Coplaw Street, Glasgow, S.2. Largest gynaecological hospital in U.K.

COUNTY SANATORIUM, Oban (59 beds). Resident or non-resident (two).

CAMIS ESKAN HOSPITAL, Craigendoran, Dunbartonshire.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

LENNOX CASTLE MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Lennoxtown, Nr. Glasgow. S.R.N. or R.G.N. for Part I and Part II training.

STOBHILL GENERAL HOSPITAL, Glasgow, N.1. Parts I and II training. Application forms from Matron.

ROBROYSTON HOSPITAL, Glasgow, E.3. R.G.N. or S.R.N. Vacancies now or later for Parts I and II training. Block system for Part I and weekly study day.

FALKIRK AND DISTRICT ROYAL INFIRMARY, Major's Loan, Falkirk (270 beds). Parts I and II. Unit of 50 beds.

RANKIN MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, Greenock (63 beds). Midwifery Training School. Vacancies now and later for Parts I and II, or Part I or Part II only.

BRAEHOLM MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Helensburgh.

KILMARNOCK MATERNITY HOME, Kilmarnock. Part II.

PAISLEY AND DISTRICT MATERNITY UNIT. Midwifery Training School, Parts I and II. Apply Matron, Thornhill Maternity Hospital, Johnstone.

STUDENT NURSES

GLENAFTON HOSPITAL, New Cumnock, Ayrshire.

MEARNSKIRK HOSPITAL, Newton Mearns, Renfrewshire (732 beds). Required to train for two years for B.T.A. Certificate. Age 18 to 30 years.

POST-REGISTRATION STUDENT NURSES

FALKIRK AND DISTRICT ROYAL INFIRMARY, Major's Loan, Falkirk (270 beds). For general training.

BELLSDYKE MENTAL HOSPITAL, Larbert, Stirlingshire (1,258 beds). For psychiatric training. Eighteen months' course. Vacancies mid-March, mid-July and mid-November. Well-equipped teaching unit. Shift system of duty and block system of training.

Whitley Council salary scales and conditions of service will apply to the above appointments.

Applications stating age, qualifications and experience and names of two referees, to be sent to the Matron of the respective hospital unless otherwise stated above. (3420)

MANCHESTER REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

Applications are invited for the undermentioned appointments, which should be sent, together with details of age, qualifi training and experience, and the names of two referees (or copies of two recent testimonials) to THE MATRON of the appo Hospital, from whom further details may be obtained if necessary. Salaries in accordance with appropriate National Scales.

TUTORS

Hope Hospital, Salford, 6 (General and Maternity—726 beds). Sister Tutor required as Assistant to Principal Tutor. Qualified given preference. Resident or non-resident. Excellent experience available.

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENTS

Duchess of York Hospital for Babies, Burnage Lane, Levenshulme, Manchester, 19 (Sick Babies—103 cots). Senior of three trained persons. The hospital is a Training School for Sick Children's Nurses and serves patients of 0-5 years in paediatrics, general plastic and E.N.T. surgery. The post is resident or non-resident.

Crumpsall Hospital, Delaunays Road, Manchester, 8 (Adult General—1,225 beds). For General Wards with staff of four Night Sisters. Resident or non-resident.

NIGHT SISTERS IN SOLE CHARGE

Oldham and District General Hospital, Rochdale Road, Oldham (Mainly General—975 beds, Modern Maternity Unit —72 beds). Resident or non-resident. Good midwifery experience and an interest in the training of Pupil Midwives essential. Applications to Midwifery Superintendent.

Oldham and District General Hospital, Rochdale Road, Oldham (Geriatric Unit —Training School for Assistant Nurses) (975 beds, 360 Geriatric). Resident or non-resident. For the recently established Geriatric Unit. Provides an opportunity of obtaining experience in all aspects of Geriatric Medicine, the emphasis being placed on Clinical Medicine. Applications to Matron, Mrs. E. Brumpton.

NIGHT SISTERS

Duchess of York Hospital for Babies, Burnage Lane, Levenshulme, Manchester, 19 (Sick Babies—103 cots). Junior required. Resident or non-resident.

Crumpsall Hospital, Delaunays Road, Manchester, 8 (Adult General—1,225 beds). One of four, working under a Night Superintendent.

Beaumont Hospital, Slyne Road, Lancaster (Infectious Diseases, Tuberculosis and Medical Paediatrics — 120 beds). (a) S.R.N., R.F.N. or S.R.N. with fever experience will be considered. (b) One of two for Infectious Diseases, Dermatology, Paediatrics and Pulmonary Tuberculosis. 48-hour week. E.N.T. Unit opening in near future. Resident or non-resident. Modern hospital, ten minutes from town centre on main bus route.

THEATRE SUPERINTENDENT

Royal Lancaster Infirmary, Lancaster (General—230 beds). Experienced.

THEATRE SISTERS

Wrightington Hospital, Nr. Wigan (Orthopaedic Surgery—300 beds. Major Thoracic Surgery—52 beds). Scale salary, plus £15 every six months.

WARD SISTERS

Wrightington Hospital, Nr. Wigan (Orthopaedic Surgery—300 beds. Major Thoracic Surgery—52 beds). Junior. Scale salary, plus £15 every six months.

Crumpsall Hospital, Delaunays Road, Manchester, 8 (Adult General—1,225 beds). (a) For Medical Wards. (b) Junior for General Wards. (c) For the Premature Babies Unit (day and night duty).

Grove House Recovery Home, Barrowford, Nr. Nelson (Recovery—33 beds). Resident or non-resident. Apply to Matron, Reedyford Memorial Hospital, Nelson.

Hartley Hospital, Colne (General—42 beds). For Male Ward (Medical and Surgical).

Marsden Hospital, Burnley (Chest Diseases and Isolation—78 beds). For the Female Chest Diseases Ward. Must be S.R.N. and B.T.A. an advantage but not essential.

Wythenshawe Hospital, Manchester, 23 (General—351 beds). Charge Sister. S.R.N., S.R.C.N., for Paediatric Ward opening shortly. Day or night duty.

Dr. Kershaw's Cottage Hospital, Turf Lane, Royton (General Practitioner—20 beds). Resident or non-resident.

LANCASHIRE

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

Crumpsall Hospital, Delaunays Road, Manchester, 8 (Adult General—1,225 beds).

Bank Hall Maternity Hospital, Burnley (Maternity—51 beds).

Oldham and District General Hospital, Rochdale Road, Oldham (Part I Training School) (Modern Maternity Unit—72 beds). S.R.N., S.C.N., for day or night duty. Resident or non-resident. Applications to Midwifery Superintendent.

STAFF MIDWIVES

Crumpsall Hospital, Delaunays Road, Manchester, 8 (Adult General—1,225 beds).

Bank Hall Maternity Hospital, Burnley (Maternity—51 beds). Full-time or part-time.

Baguley Hospital, Wythenshawe, Manchester, 23 (T.B. and non-T.B. Chest Surgery—402 beds). For Maternity Unit.

Oldham and District General Hospital, Rochdale Road, Oldham (Part I Training School) (Modern Maternity Unit—72 beds). (a) S.R.N., S.C.M., good experience available in all departments. (b) Required for the Paediatric Section of the Unit. Both posts resident or non-resident.

Woodfield Maternity Home, Manchester Road, Oldham (Amenity — 20 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

Crumpsall Hospital, Delaunays Road, Manchester, 8 (Adult General—1,225 beds). For Part I Midwifery training in February, May, August and November each year. The department is modern and well-equipped and pupils receive two weeks preliminary instruction before beginning on the wards.

Hope Hospital, Salford, 6 (726 beds, including Maternity—110 beds). S.R.N. or R.S.C.N. required. Vacancies in schools commencing February, May, August and November. Course includes one week's preliminary instruction study day system and training in gas and air analgesia. Facilities for Part II training available with Salford District Service. Hospital is part of teaching unit for obstetrics in association with Manchester University Medical School. Applications also invited from women of good education who have not had any previous medical training, for the two years' course in midwifery. Brochure available upon request, from Matron.

Oldham and District General Hospital, Rochdale Road, Oldham (Mainly General —975 beds, Modern Maternity Unit—72 beds). S.R.N., good experience available in all departments. Vacancies occur at three monthly intervals. Lectures and tutorials given during hours of duty. Resident or non-resident. Applications to Midwifery Superintendent.

STAFF NURSES (THEATRE)

Wythenshawe Hospital, Manchester, 23 (General—351 beds). S.R.N.s for general theatre. Full-time. Resident or non-resident.

Baguley Hospital, Wythenshawe, Manchester, 23 (T.B. and non-T.B. Chest Surgery—402 beds). Experience in thoracic surgery not essential.

STAFF NURSES (MALE or FEMALE)

Crumpsall Hospital, Delaunays Road, Manchester, 8 (Adult General—1,225 beds). (a) For General Wards. (b) For Premature Babies Unit. (c) Trained for Neurosurgical Ward.

Astley Hospital, Astley, Tyldesley, Nr. Manchester (General and I.D.—146 beds). For Children's Wards.

Hartley Hospital, Colne (General—42 beds). For Male Ward (Medical and Surgical).

Wythenshawe Hospital, Manchester, 23 (General—351 beds). (a) Full-time for Paediatric Ward opening shortly. Day and night duty. (b) S.R.N. for General Wards. Full-time. Resident or non-resident. (c) S.R.N.s for night duty, general wards. Resident or non-resident.

Baguley Hospital, Wythenshawe, Manchester, 23 (T.B. and non-T.B. Chest Surgery—402 beds). S.R.N. or T.A. Certificate.

STAFF NURSES (MALE OR FEMALE)—Contd.

Oldham and District General Hospital, Rochdale Road, Oldham (Geriatric Unit —Training School for Assistant Nurses) (975 beds, 360 Geriatric). For the recently established Geriatric Unit. Provides an opportunity of obtaining experience in all aspects of Geriatric Medicine, the emphasis being placed on clinical medicine. Applications to Matron, Mrs. E. Brumpton.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Booth Hall Children's Hospital, Blackley, Manchester, 9 (380 beds). R.S.C.N. or S.R.N. for Medical and Surgical Units.

Clitheroe Hospital, Chatburn Road, Clitheroe (Female Long-stay—86 beds). Full-time or part-time. Resident or non-resident.

Oldham and District General Hospital, Rochdale Road, Oldham (Part I Training School) (Modern Maternity Unit—72 beds). Required for the Paediatric Section of the Unit. Resident or non-resident. Applications to Midwifery Superintendent.

POST-GRADUATE NURSES

Duchess of York Hospital for Babies, Burnage Lane, Levenshulme, Manchester, 19 (Sick Babies—103 cots). Course of six months in the care of premature babies in a modern unit of 15 cots. A certificate is given on the completion of the six months' course, but a shorter period can be arranged. The post is resident or non-resident.

Crumpsall Hospital, Delaunays Road, Manchester, 8 (Adult General—1,225 beds). State Registered Nurses with an interest in orthopaedic work may apply for one year's post-graduate training. Course to commence in April, 1957, in preparation for the examination of the Joint Examination Board of the British Orthopaedic Association. Salary and grade of Staff Nurse. Resident or non-resident.

Booth Hall Children's Hospital, Blackley, Manchester, 9 (380 beds).

Wythenshawe Hospital, Manchester, 23 (General—351 beds). S.R.N.s for Post-graduate course in plastic surgery. This course is of six months' duration and a certificate will be given at the end of the course. Apply to Matron for brochure.

Baguley Hospital, Wythenshawe, Manchester, 23 (T.B. and non-T.B. Chest Surgery—402 beds). Vacancies exist for one year's post-graduate training for the British Tuberculosis Association Certificate. Examinations held in May and November. Applications are also invited from Nurses desiring six months' post-graduate experience in a modern thoracic unit. Certificate of training awarded on completion of course. Lecture course given.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE or FEMALE)

Wrightington Hospital, Nr. Wigan (Orthopaedic Surgery—300 beds. Major Thoracic Surgery—52 beds). For theatre or ward duties. Whole-time. Scale salary plus £15 every six months.

Astley Hospital, Astley, Tyldesley, Nr. Manchester (General and I.D.—146 beds). For Children's Wards.

Crumpsall Hospital, Delaunays Road, Manchester, 8 (Adult General—1,225 beds). For Chronic Sick Wards, Theatre and Midwifery Wards.

Marsden Hospital, Burnley (Chest Diseases and Isolation—78 beds). For the Chest Diseases Wards and Cubicle Wards.

Wythenshawe Hospital, Manchester, 23 (General—351 beds). (a) Full-time, for Paediatric Ward opening shortly. Day and night duty. (b) Full-time for General Wards. Resident or non-resident.

Baguley Hospital, Wythenshawe, Manchester, 23 (T.B. and non-T.B. Chest Surgery—402 beds). Opportunities to obtain B.T.A. Certificate.

Oldham and District General Hospital, Rochdale Road, Oldham (Geriatric Unit— Training School for Assistant Nurses—975 beds, 360 Geriatric). For the recently established Geriatric Unit. Provides an opportunity of obtaining experience in all aspects of Geriatric Medicine, the emphasis being placed on clinical medicine. Applications to Matron, Mrs. E. Brumpton.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

Booth Hall Children's H
Blackley, Manchester, 9 (38
Full-time and part-time.

Clitheroe Hospital, Chatburn
Clitheroe (Female Long-stay—8
Full-time or part-time. Resi
non-resident.

STUDENT NURSES

The Royal Infirmary, Bolto
plete Training School for Nurses
—237 beds). For schools com
1st January and 1st April. T
period of training for Nurses
Supplementary part of the Regis

Crumpsall Hospital, Delaunay
Manchester, 8 (Adult Genera
beds). Complete Training School.
are vacancies for suitably educa
of 18 years of age and over
years' training in general nursing
March Preliminary Training Scho
didates accepted for a reduced p
two years if already on the Suppl
Register of the General Nursing

Booth Hall Children's H
Blackley, Manchester, 9 (38
For three and four-year courses.

Baguley Hospital, Wythenshaw
chester, 23 (T.B. and non-T.B.
Surgery—402 beds). Four years
training for the B.T.A. Certifica
State Registration, or two years
B.T.A. Certificate only.

PUPIL ASSISTANT NUR

Crumpsall Hospital, Delaunay
Manchester, 8 (Adult Genera
beds). Male and female.

CHESHIRE

DEPARTMENTAL SIST

Cottage Hospital, Alderley Edge
Surgical—18 beds). With the
perience. Deputy to Matron.

NIGHT SISTERS

Moss Lane Hospital, Macclesfie
beds).

Collar House, Prestbury (Medi
beds).

THEATRE SISTERS

Victoria Infirmary, Northwich
—50 beds). Resident. For busy
and casualty hospital.

War Memorial Hospital, Co
(Acute Surgical and General Pra
—33 beds).

St. Anne's Hospital (E.N.T.
Woodville Road, Bowden, Alt
(E.N.T.—53 beds). Junior.
experience essential.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

Macclesfield Hospital, Ma
(Midwifery Department. Part II T
School) (25 cots and beds).
charge, for night duty.

STAFF MIDWIVES

Linden Grange Maternity
Hungerford Avenue, Crewe (Ma
15 beds). Resident or non-resid

Macclesfield Hospital, Ma
(Midwifery Department. Part II T
School) (25 cots and beds).

PUPIL MIDWIVES

Macclesfield Hospital, Ma
(Midwifery Department. Part II T
School) (25 cots and beds).
occur for schools commencing
1st June, 1st September and
ber, 1957.

Barony Hospital, Nantwich
Maternity Unit—32 beds). For
Training Schools, commencing
1st June, 1st September and
ber.

STAFF NURSES (MALE or FEMALE)

Macclesfield Hospital, Ma
(General Nurse Training Sch
beds). Day and night duty.
or non-resident. General Wa
Theatre.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

Linden Grange Maternity
Hungerford Avenue, Crewe (Ma
15 beds). Resident or non-resid

Collar House, Prestbury (Medi
beds).

CASTEL HOSPITAL FOR AL AND NERVOUS DISORDERS RNSEY, CHANNEL ISLANDS

tions are invited for the post of **Matron** at the above hospital of 120

ates must be State Registered in Nursing and should also be State in Mental Nursing or hold the of R.M.P.A.

scale in accordance with Whitley Superannuation under the F.S.S.N. (C).

tions together with copies of recent ials, should be sent to the Medical dent, Castel Hospital, Guernsey. (3305)

ENTRAL WIRRAL GROUP CLEAVER HOSPITAL HESWALL, CHESHIRE
(220 beds)

tions are invited for the under- appointments at this chest hos- ch caters for all forms of modern and surgical treatment, including surgery, and forms part of the Wirral School of Nursing, which is a school for S.R.N., S.E.A.N., and the rtificate.

ospital is situated in pleasant gs, overlooking the River Dee, and easy access of Chester, Liverpool Wales.

Salary scale £735 x £25 (2) x £905 p.a., less £219 p.a. for resi- cilities.

t Matron to act as deputy to Salary scale £590 x £20 (5)— less £176 p.a. for residence.

tion forms, obtainable from Group Clatterbridge Hospital, Bebington, should be returned by 21st January. (3288)

HIRE EDUCATION COMMITTEE

Matron (S.R.N. or R.S.C.N.) re- Bleasdale House Residential Special Physically Handicapped **Boys, ages**

£517—£645, less £164 for board and Superannuable.

tion forms and further particulars nty Medical Officer, Serial 1025, County Offices, Preston, to be mmediately. (3310)

T. ANDREW'S HOSPITAL NORTHAMPTON

tions are invited for the appointment **Assistant Matron.** The person will assist in the supervision of House, a modern self-contained unit where all modern methods ent are employed. Both general iatric training essential.

£426 to £554 p.a., together with the sidential emoluments, valued for ation purposes at £176 p.a.

tions to the Matron. (3365)

RAMPTON HOSPITAL RETFORD, NOTTS.
ental Defectives with behaviour disorders.
(Female—463 beds)

Assistant Matron required. Can- must be qualified in mental or eficiency nursing; qualification in ursing desirable.

£712—£840 p.a. Modern forms of treatment, occupational and recre- erapy.

ns may visit by appointment. expenses defrayed. Individual suite in modern nurses' home. Other request.

Medical Superintendent. (3385)

WEST MIDDLESEX HOSPITAL ANAGEMENT COMMITTEE NGTON, HAMPTON WICK AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL
(51 beds)

t Matron (resident). New appoint- act as Deputy to Matron.

cale £585—£685, residential charge neral hospital, affiliated to larger or training pupil assistant nurses. obtainable from Matron.

tions, stating age, qualifications and with names of two referees, to retary, West Middlesex Hospital, Middlesex, by 19th January, 1957. (3393)

ORTH DEVON HOSPITAL ANAGEMENT COMMITTEE OMBE HOSPITAL, ILFRACOMBE

tions invited for the post of **Matron in charge,** S.R.N., S.C.M. 570 x £20 (6) x £10 (1)—£700, ction of £176 for residential emolu- ost vacant 16th January, 1957.

mbe Hospital has 24 beds for idwifery and female post-operative ses.

tions stating age, experience and etc., with names and addresses of ees, to Group Secretary, 19 Alex- d, Barnstaple. (3399)

MANCHESTER REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—(*Contd.*)

MENTAL NURSING VACANCIES

TOWNLEYS BRANCH HOSPITAL, FARNWORTH
(Training School for Assistant Nurses)
(Geriatric and Psychiatric—395 beds)

For busy Psychiatric Units attached to General Hospital, all modern methods of treatment in use.

(a) for Male Unit (84 beds). **Deputy Charge Nurse** (no residential accommodation available.

(b) for Female Unit (80 beds). **Ward Sisters, Staff Nurses** (female).

CRUMPSALL HOSPITAL DELAUNAYS ROAD MANCHESTER, 8
(Adult General—1,225 beds)

Ward Sister for Female Ward (14 beds).

PARKSIDE HOSPITAL MACCLESFIELD
(Mental—1,700 beds)

Principal Sister/Male Tutor. Well-equipped Training School (average 50 students), own Preliminary Training School. House available for married man, otherwise resident quarters if desired.

OLDHAM AND DISTRICT GENERAL HOSPITAL ROCHDALE ROAD, OLDHAM
(Psychiatric Unit)
(Mainly General—975 beds, 128 Female Psychiatric)

Ward Sister. Qualified in Mental Nursing, for Female Psychiatric Unit. Applications to Assistant Matron to the unit.

STUDENTS. There are vacancies for **Student Nurses, Pupil Assistant Nurses** and **Pupil Midwives** at Training Hospitals (including Mental Hospitals and Mental Deficiency Institutions) in all parts of the Region, which comprises parts of Lancashire, Cheshire, Derbyshire and Westmorland. Applicants who wish to enter training should write to the Matron of the hospital of their choice referred to in the above advertisement, mentioning the advertisement in their letters. (70)

KETTERING AND DISTRICT GENERAL HOSPITAL
(General—171 beds)

Applications are invited from suitably qualified persons for the post of **Second Assistant Matron.** The hospital is a recognised complete training school for general nursing and is scheduled for expansion. Salary in accordance with Whitley Council scale.

Applications stating age, qualifications and subsequent experience, together with the names of three referees, should be sent to the Area Matron, General Hospital, Kettering, from whom further information can be obtained. (3090)

FLINTSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL require resident **ASSISTANT MATRON** at the Lawn/Coleg Clwyd, Home for Aged Men, Rhyl. Preference given to applicants with nursing training. Salary on scale £307 10s. 0d. by £15 7s. 6d. (3) to £353 12s. 6d., plus free accommodation, meals and laundry. The post is superannuable.

Application form from the Clerk of the County Council, County Buildings (P.O. Box No. 1), Mold. Closing date, 31st December, 1956. (3316)

WALSALL HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Applications are invited for the post of **Assistant Matron** at Walsall General (Sister Dora) Hospital (181 beds). Salary £590 x £20 (5)—£690 per annum, less board and lodgings, £176. Two referees required.

Group Secretary, Walsall General (Sister Dora) Hospital. (3356)

DURHAM COUNTY COUNCIL
HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Deputy Matron for (a) Durham Road Day Nursery, Stockton, and (b) Norton Road Day Nursery, Stockton. Salary: S.R.N. or R.S.C.N.—£415-£540; S.R.F.N., C.N.N. or E.A.N.—£400-£540.

Forms and particulars from County Medical Officer, Shire Hall, Durham. Closing date, 2nd January, 1957. Canvassing members of the Council is prohibited.

J. K. HOPE,
Clerk of the County Council.
(3381)

ASTON HALL HOSPITAL, ASTON-ON-TRENT, Nr. DERBY
APPOINTMENT OF DEPUTY CHIEF MALE NURSE

Applications are invited from suitably qualified mental deficiency nurses for the new appointment of **Deputy Chief Male Nurse** at the above hospital, situated about six miles from Derby. At present the number of beds is 370, of which 160 are male.

The hospital is scheduled for extension to a total of over 800 beds, and a new ward for male patients is shortly to be opened.

Salary scale at present £610-£710 per annum. The appointment has been graded as Category "A".

It is possible that certain tutorial duties may be attached to the post.

A house will be available on the estate, for renting to the successful applicant.

Applications containing full details and the names and addresses of two referees, should be addressed to the Physician Superintendent, within 14 days of the appearance of this advertisement. (3435)

TOLMERS PARK HOSPITAL NEWGATE STREET, Nr. HERTFORD
(Male and Female Geriatric Patients)
(Nearest Station Cuffley)

Assistant Matron required. Salary scale £580—£680. The hospital is pleasantly situated in the country, but within easy reach of London.

Candidates must have keen interest in the care of the chronic sick. Previous administrative and housekeeping experience desirable.

Application forms from Group Secretary, Royal Northern Hospital, Holloway, N.7. (3397)

LYNDHURST PRELIMINARY TRAINING SCHOOL, 22 LYNDHURST ROAD HAMPSTEAD, LONDON, N.W.3

Female Assistant Tutor required in Group Preliminary Training School for very end December. Excellent experience for anyone wishing to take the full Tutor Course at a later date. This post also includes a certain amount of teaching Students Practical Nursing in block at the main hospital.

Apply, stating age, experience and giving two names for reference, to The Matron, Hampstead General Hospital, The Green, Hampstead, London, N.W.3. (2803)

THE UNITED LEEDS HOSPITALS THE GENERAL INFIRMARY AT LEEDS

Qualified Sister Tutor, one of six. Block system of education.

Please apply to the Matron, the General Infirmary at Leeds, giving details of age, training and experience, together with three names for reference. (3275)

LYNDHURST PRELIMINARY TRAINING SCHOOL FOR NURSES
22 LYNDHURST ROAD, HAMPSTEAD LONDON, N.W.3

Qualified Tutor required for a period of three months.

Apply giving two names for reference to the Matron, Hampstead General Hospital, The Green, Hampstead, London, N.W.3. (3294)

ST. HELENS AND DISTRICT H.M.C. WHISTON HOSPITAL, PRESCOT, LANCS.
(892 beds)
SISTER TUTOR

Applications are invited for the above position from candidates holding recognised qualifications.

The hospital is a complete general training school.

Applications, stating age, qualifications and experience and giving two names for reference, should be forwarded to the Matron immediately. (3376)

COUNTY BOROUGH OF GRIMSBY WELFARE SERVICES DEPARTMENT
ASSISTANT WARDEN

Applications are invited from experienced women for the position of **Assistant Warden** at "Littlecoates House", a new home for old people which will be opening during January, 1957.

The possession of a nursing qualification (S.R.N. or S.E.A.N.) is desirable, although not essential.

The post is resident and superannuable and the salary will be at the rate of £353 12s. 6d.—£399 15s., plus emoluments at £220 p.a.

Forms of application may be obtained from the Director of Welfare Services, 21 Silver Street, Grimsby, to whom they should be returned **by not later than the first post on Monday, 31st December, 1956.**

L. W. HEELER,
Town Clerk.
(3377)

THE UNITED LIVERPOOL HOSPITALS DAVID LEWIS NORTHERN HOSPITAL LEEDS STREET, LIVERPOOL, 3

Administrative Sister required. S.R.N.

Applications stating age, particulars of training and subsequent experience and Matron's name for reference, to be sent to Matron. (3378)

ST. ANDREW'S HOSPITAL NORTHAMPTON

Night Sister in Sole Charge required. Double trained.

Salary in accordance with Whitley Council scale. Superannuation scheme operative, service transferable from and to National Health Service.

Applications to the Matron. (3364)

UNITED LIVERPOOL HOSPITALS THE WOMEN'S HOSPITAL LIVERPOOL, 8

Junior Night Sister required. S.R.N., Part I Midwifery essential.

Apply with full particulars to Matron. (3304)

THE UNITED LIVERPOOL HOSPITALS DAVID LEWIS NORTHERN HOSPITAL LEEDS STREET, LIVERPOOL, 3

Night Sister required. Candidates must have held the post of Ward Sister.

Applications, stating age, full particulars of training and subsequent experience, together with Matron's name for reference, to be sent to Matron. (3379)

SOUTH-EAST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOAR

TRAINED NURSES

On behalf of the Hospital Management Committees, applications are invited for the following appointments, and should be sent, together wi details of age, qualifications, training, experience, and the names of two referees (or copies of two recent testimonials), to the Matron of the appropriate hospital, from whom further details may be obtained.

SISTER TUTOR IN SOLE CHARGE

Group Assistant Nurse Training School, Wensley House, Eltham, S.E.9. The school incorporates four hospitals in the Woolwich Group. Applications to Group Secretary, Memorial Hospital, Woolwich, S.E.18.

SISTER TUTORS

Dulwich Hospital (In association with King's College Hospital Medical School for teaching purposes), East Dulwich Grove, S.E.22 (490 beds). Block system of training in operation.

St. Alfege's Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (General—373 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. and recognised diploma. To assist Principal Sister Tutor.

St. Giles' Hospital, Camberwell, S.E.5 (408 beds). To assist in Tutorial Dept.

St. Olave's Hospital, Lower Road, S.E.16 (318 beds). Modern well-equipped school. Block system.

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT

Lewisham Hospital, High Street, S.E.13 (General—615 beds). With three Night Sisters. Res. or non-res.

NIGHT SISTERS

Hither Green Hospital, Hither Green, S.E.13 (Infectious Diseases and General —191 beds). S.R.N., R.F.N. Res. or non-res.

Lewisham Hospital, High Street, S.E.13 (General—615 beds). Res. or non-res.

Miller General Hospital, Greenwich High Road, S.E.10 (General—180 beds). S.R.N.

New Cross General Hospital, Avonley Road, S.E.14 (325 beds).

St. John's Hospital, Morden Hill, S.E.13 (112 beds). Res. or non-res.

DEPARTMENTAL SISTER (THEATRE)

Hither Green Hospital, Hither Green, S.E.13. E.N.T. Surgery.

WARD SISTERS

Goldie Leigh Hospital, Lodge Lane, Abbey Wood, S.E.2 (Children's Skin Hospital—212 beds).

St. John's Hospital, Morden Hill, S.E.13 (General—112 beds). For Children's Ward. S.R.N., R.S.C.N.

St. Alfege's Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (General—373 beds). For O.P. duties.

Brook General Hospital, Shooter's Hill Road, Woolwich, S.E.18 (472 beds). And one for Geriatric Ward of 26 beds.

St. Giles' Hospital, Camberwell, S.E.5 (408 beds). For General, Medical and Surgical Wards.

St. Nicholas Hospital, Plumstead, S.E.18 (348 beds). One of three. For Casualty and O.P. Dept.

SOUTH-EAST LONDON

WARD SISTER (THEATRE)

St. Alfege's Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (General—373 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Two posts.

WARD SISTERS (RELIEF)

Miller General Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (General—180 beds). S.R.N.

St. Alfege's Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (General—373 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

St. Francis Hospital, Constance Road, S.E.22. For Geriatric and Long-stay Wards. Res. or non-res.

St. Giles' Hospital, Camberwell, S.E.5 (408 beds). For Medical and Surgical Wards.

Lewisham Hospital, High Street, S.E.13 (General—615 beds). Non-res.

Albert Dock Seamen's Hospital, Ainwick Road, E.16. For work in busy Orthopaedic O.P. Department.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

New Cross General Hospital, Avonley Road, S.E.14 (325 beds). For Medical and Geriatric Wards. Full or part-time. Res. or non-res. And one for O.P. Dept.

St. Francis Hospital, Constance Road, S.E.22 For Geriatric and Long-stay Wards Res. or non-res.

St. Giles' Hospital, Camberwell, S.E.5 (408 beds). For Medical and Surgical Wards

Goldie Leigh Hospital, Abbey Wood, S.E.2 (Children's Skin Hospital — 212 beds).

Hither Green Hospital, Hither Green, S.E.13. S.R.N. or R.F.N. Full or part-time, for night or day duty.

Brook General Hospitals, Shooter's Hill Road, S.E.18. For Medical Wards and Infectious Diseases Wards. S.R.N., R.F.N.

Miller General Hospital, Greenwich High Road, S.E.10 (180 beds). S.R.N.s for day or night duty (Wards and Departments). Full or part-time.

St. Alfege's Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (373 beds). For duties in General Wards; and Maternity Wards and O.P. Dept. and Nursery, recognised Certificate.

St. John's Hospital, Morden Hill, S.E.13 (General—112 beds). For Wards or Theatre.

Memorial Hospital, Shooter's Hill, S.E.18 (General—137 beds). S.R.C.N. For Children's Ward; and for Male and Female Surgical Wards.

St. Nicholas Hospital, Plumstead, S.E.18 (General—348 beds). For Gynaecological Ward for six months' experience and for General Wards.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)—Contd.

Dulwich Hospital (In association with King's College Hospital Medical School for teaching purposes), East Dulwich Grove, S.E.22. For Medical and Surgical Wards and one for General Theatre work.

St. Olave's Hospital, Lower Road, S.E.16 (319 beds). For Theatre and S.R.N.s for six monthly periods for Theatre Training, also for Medical and Surgical Wards.

Eltham and Mottingham Hospital, Passey Place, Eltham, S.E.9 (42 beds). Two for Medical and Surgical Ward. One for Theatre.

Grove Park (Chest) Hospital, Marvels Lane, Lee, S.E.12. S.R.N. or T.A. Cert. Full or part-time, for day or night duty.

Dreadnought Seamen's Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10. For wards and departments in hospital of 147 beds for officers and men of the Merchant Navy.

POST-GRADUATE COURSES FOR TRAINED NURSES

St. Alfege's Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (General — 373 beds). Six months' Theatre experience, or in Casualty and O.P. Department. Current vacancies. Certificate awarded.

Memorial Hospital, Shooter's Hill, S.E.18 (137 beds). For six months' Theatre experience or six months in Casualty and O.P.D.

St. Nicholas Hospital, Plumstead, S.E.18 (General — 348 beds). Trained Nurses — six months Theatre experience, or six months in Casualty and O.P.D.

Hither Green Hospital, Hither Green, S.E.13. One year's training for Fever Register as Post-registration Students (Male and Female) or one year course in E.N.T. Unit as Staff Nurses. Certificate awarded. Res. or non-res.

Brook General Hospital, Shooter's Hill Road, S.E.18. For six months' course in Thoracic and Cardiac Surgery at Regional Unit or six months' course in Regional Neuro-surgical and Neurological Depts..

Grove Park (Chest) Hospital, Marvels Lane, Lee, S.E.12 (401 beds). Six months' course for S.R.N.s in Thoracic Surgery Unit or one year's training for T.A. Certificate. Staff Nurse salary scale plus allowance of £15 on completion of each period of six months service.

Miller General Hospital, Greenwich, S.E.10 (General—180 beds). Six months' Post-graduate Theatre Course.

Lewisham Hospital, High Street, S.E.13 (General—615 beds). Six months' course in Premature Baby Unit commencing 1st March, 1st June and 1st September, or one year's course in Theatres. Certificate awarded.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

St. Giles' Hospital, Camberwell, (Maternity—59 beds).

St. Alfege's Hospital, Greenwich, (Part I Training School—53 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Two posts.

STAFF MIDWIVES

St. Giles' Hospital, Camberwell, (Maternity—59 beds).

St. Alfege's Hospital, Greenwich, (Part I Training School Midwi 53 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

St. Alfege's Hospital, Greenwich, S.R.N.s for Part I Midwifery T Next course commences 1st Feb 1957. (Midwifery—53 beds).

St. Giles' Hospital, Camberwell, (Maternity Unit—59 beds). Next 1st May.

Dulwich Hospital (In associatio King's College Hospital Medical Sc East Dulwich Grove, S.E.22. For Training. Next course 1st May.

ENROLLED ASSISTAN NURSES (MALE)

St. Alfege's Hospital, Greenwich, (373 beds). For duties in Gener T.B. Wards, and E.A.N.s for C Unit of 269 beds. Non-res.

St. Francis Hospital, Constance S.E.22. For Geriatric and Lo Wards Res. or non-res.

New Cross General Hospital, A Road, S.E.14. Non-res.

Lewisham Hospital, High Street, (General—615 beds). For Thea

ENROLLED ASSISTAN NURSES (FEMALE)

Goldie Leigh Hospital, Abbey S.E.2 (Children's Skin Hospital beds).

St. Francis Hospital, Constance S.E.22. For Geriatric and Lo Wards. Res. or non-res.

New Cross General Hospital, A Road, S.E.14 (325 beds). Res. or n

St. Alfege's Hospital, Greenwich, (373 beds). For duties in General and Maternity Wards, and for C Unit (269 beds).

Miller General Hospital, Gre S.E.10 (180 beds). For day or duty. Full or part-time.

St. John's Hospital, Morden S.E.13 (General—112 beds). F part-time.

Eltham and Mottingham H Passey Place, Eltham, S.E.9 (42

NURSING AUXILIARIE

New Cross General Hospital, A Road, S.E.14 (325 beds).

SISTER TUTOR

Sussex Maternity Hospital, Brighton, 1 (62 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M., M.T.D. Part II Training.

NIGHT SISTERS

Sussex Throat and Ear Hospital, Brighton, 1 (32 beds). S.R.N., E.N.T. experience. Temporary post. Res. or non-res

Cuckfield Hospital, Cuckfield, Nr. Haywards Heath. For Medical Ward. One of three.

Bexhill Hospital, Bexhill-on-Sea (62 beds). Post offers good experience. Res. or non-res. (Junior post).

Darvall Hall Hospital, Robertsbridge (120 beds). (T.B. Hospital). With B.T.A .Cert. or experience of tuberculosis nursing. Suitable ex-patients are accepted.

WARD SISTER (THEATRE)

Buchanan Hospital, St. Leonards-on-Sea (94 beds). Temporary appointment for hospital specialising in Gynaecology, Urology and E.N.T.

WARD SISTERS

Sussex Throat and Ear Hospital, Brighton, 1 (32 beds). S.R.N., E.N.T. experience essential. Senior post. Res. or non-res.

EAST SUSSEX

WARD SISTERS—Contd.

Downside Hospital, East Dean Road, Eastbourne (87 beds). S.R.N. and Fever Trained. Res. or non-res. Vacancy 1st January, 1957.

St. Helen's Hospital, Hastings (General—493 beds). For O.P. Dept. One for day duty and one for night duty. Res. or non-res.

WARD SISTERS (RELIEF)

Eversfield Chest Hospital, St. Leonards-on-Sea (T.B. Hospital—105 beds). S.R.N. Res. or non-res. Modern nurses' home overlooking the sea.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

Queen Victoria Hospital, East Grinstead (256 staffed beds). For opening of new Male Plastic Ward.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Queen Victoria Hospital, East Grinstead (256 staffed and available beds). One for Ophthalmic Ward, one with experience and one to gain experience, also for opening of new Plastic Wards.

Royal East Sussex Hospital, Hastings (General—150 beds). For Theatre and one for Orthopaedic Ward.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)—Contd.

Buchanan Hospital, St. Leonards-on-Sea (General—94 beds). One for Male Urological Ward. One for Theatre and one for Night duty in Private Patients' Department.

Cuckfield Hospital, Cuckfield, Nr. Haywards Heath. For day and night duty.

Alexandra House, St. Peter's Road, St. Leonards-on-Sea (26 beds). Female. Chronic Sick. Pleasant home.

Hove General Hospital, Hove, 3 (75 beds). S.R.N. for wards and departments. Res. or non-res.

Brighton General Hospital, Brighton, 7 (664 beds). For Theatre duties and one for Female Medical Ward.

St. Helen's Hospital, Hastings (General—493 beds). One S.R.N. for Paediatric Ward. One for Theatre and one for Surgical Ward. Res. or non-res. posts.

Downside Hospital, East Dean Road, Eastbourne (87 beds). S.R.N. For Geriatric Ward. Res. or non-res.

Princess Alice Hospital, Carew Road, Eastbourne (120 beds). General and Orthopaedic Wards. Res. or non-res.

Eversfield Chest Hospital, St. Leonards-on-Sea (T.B. Hospital — 105 beds). S.R.N. or B.T.A. Res. or non-res. Modern Nurses' Home overlooking the sea.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)—C

Newhaven Infectious Diseases H Newhaven (20 beds). Day and duty.

Newhaven Downs Hospital, Ne (132 beds). S.R.N. Day and duty. Res. or non-res.

STAFF MIDWIVES

Sussex Maternity Hospital, Brigh (62 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. For Alternate day and night duty. R non-res.

Brighton General Hospital, Brigh (664 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. For balance duties.

St. Mary's Hospital, Eastbourne beds). Vacancies now and ex 1957. Res. or non-res.

ENROLLED ASSISTAN NURSES (FEMALE)

Bexhill Hospital, Bexhill (62 beds). Full or part-time. D night duty.

St. Helen's Hospital, Hastings beds). Res. or non-res.

Brighton General Hospital, Brigh (664 beds).

Newhaven Infectious Diseases H Newhaven (20 beds). Day and duty.

NURSING AUXILIARIE

Cuckfield Hospital, Cuckfield, Haywards Heath. For day and night

SOUTH-EAST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—Continued

STUDENT NURSE TRAINING

There are many Hospitals (including Mental Hospitals and Mental Deficiency Institutions) offering first class training facilities for young men and women to train as **STUDENT NURSES** and **PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES.** These Hospitals are situated in South-East London, Kent and East Sussex (all within easy reach of London). Training normally lasts three years for Student Nurses and two years for Pupil Assistant Nurses and an allowance of between £260 and £285 a year is payable during training, less £119 for board, lodging and uniform. There is an additional allowance of £45 for Mental Nurse Training. If over 21 years of age, the allowance is between £390-£420 less £144 for board etc. if required. Applicants who wish to enter training should write to the South-East Metropolitan Regional Hospital Board, 11, Portland Place, W.1, stating at which Hospital or in which part of the Region they would like to train. All applications will be acknowledged and further details forwarded. If so desired an interview can be arranged with the Board's Nursing Officer.

KENT

ASSISTANT MATRON

Sheppey General Hospital, Minster (20 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Preferably with housekeeping experience.

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT

Queen Mary's Hospital, Sidcup. Resident or non-resident.

NIGHT SISTER IN SOLE CHARGE

Lenham Sanatorium, Nr. Maidstone (38 beds).

NIGHT SISTERS

Queen Mary's Hospital, Sidcup.

Hothfield Hospital, Hothfield, Nr. Ashford (Chronic Sick). Vacant in January.

Pembury Hospital, Pembury (385 staffed available beds).

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTERS

Sevenoaks Hospital, Sevenoaks (Busy General—81 beds). For General Administrative duties, including relief in Matron's Office.

Sheppey General Hospital, Minster (20 beds). For administrative duties. Qualified Tutor not essential, although teaching experience is necessary. For new Assistant Nurse Training School.

THEATRE SUPERINTENDENTS

St. Bartholomew's Hospital, Rochester (201 beds). Senior of three Sisters. Modern Twin Theatres. Excellent experience.

West Kent General Hospital, Maidstone (41 beds). Res. or non-res.

DEPARTMENTAL SISTER (THEATRE)

Joyce Green Hospital, Dartford (400 staffed beds). Res. or non-res.

HOME SISTERS

Southern Hospital, Dartford (260 staffed beds). Res. or non-res.

Buckland Hospital, Dover (General—199 beds). Complete Training School S.R.N.

WARD SISTERS

Erith and District Hospital, Park Crescent, Erith (General—50 beds). For Medical and Surgical Wards.

Southern Hospital, Dartford (260 staffed beds). Res. or non-res.

Denton Isolation Hospital, Nr. Gravesend (40 beds). Res. or non-res.

St. Mary's Hospital, Etchinghill, Nr. Folkestone (Chronic Sick). Two posts.

Buckland Hospital, Dover (General—199 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. an advantage but not essential. Complete Training School.

Ashford Hospital, Ashford (155 beds). Women's Surgical Ward Orthopaedic experience.

St. Bartholomew's Hospital, Rochester (201 beds). For Women's Surgical and Orthopaedic Ward.

Kent and Sussex Hospital, Tunbridge Wells (303 beds). Ear, Nose and Throat Wards and Department. Required for January.

WARD SISTERS (THEATRE)

General Hospital, Margate (132 beds). For December. Res. or non-res.

All Saints Hospital, Chatham (371 beds). Busy General Theatre. Good experience (Ward Sister's salary).

WARD SISTERS (RELIEF)

Princess Mary's Hospital, Margate (251 beds). (Rehabilitation Hospital for Women). Res. or non-res.

Royal Sea Bathing Hospital, Margate (200 beds at present in use for Surgical Tuberculosis and Orthopaedic Unit of 41 beds). For relief duties. Res. or non-res.

Pembury Hospital, Pembury (385 staffed available beds).

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

Southern Hospital, Dartford (260 staffed beds). Res. or non-res.

Hill House Hospital, Minster, Ramsgate (164 beds at present in use for Chronic Sick and accommodation for 76 infirm residents). Non-res.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Haine Hospital, Ramsgate (76 beds. for Infectious Diseases and Dermatological Unit of 16 beds). Res. or non-res.

Ashford Hospital, Ashford (135 beds). Complete Training School for Nurses. For Women's Surgical Ward, for night duty and for Men's Medical Ward, and one for Children's Ward, S.R.N., S.R.C.N. necessary.

Southern Hospital, Dartford (General—260 beds). Res. or non-res.

Kent County Ophthalmic and Aural Hospital, Maidstone (113 beds). S.R.N. Res. For Aural Theatre, Wards and O.P. Department.

Royal Sea Bathing Hospital, Margate (200 beds at present in use for Surgical Tuberculosis and Orthopaedic Unit of 41 beds). Possession of Orthopaedic Certificate an advantage. Res. or non-res. Vacancies for Post-graduate Course for Orthopaedic Nursing Certificate.

Diabetic Convalescent Home for Women, Birchington-on-Sea (50 beds). Res. or non-res.

Royal Victoria Hospital, Folkestone (General—155 beds). For Theatre and S.R.N.s for General duties. Also S.R.N., S.C.M. to assist in P.T.S.

General Hospital, Margate (132 beds). Res. or non-res.

Willesborough Hospital, Willesborough (General—138 beds). For Female Surgical Wards, and one for Gynaecological Ward, vacant January.

Joyce Green Hospital, Dartford (400 staffed beds). For General Wards and T.B. Unit.

St. Mary's Hospital, Etchinghill, Nr. Folkestone (Chronic Sick).

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)—Contd.

West Kent General Hospital, Maidstone (141 beds). Res. or non-res. For Theatre.

Princess Mary's Hospital, Margate (251 beds). (Rehabilitation Hospital for Women). Res. or non-res.

Bexley and Welling Hospital, Upton Road, Bexleyheath (25 beds).

Nunnery Fields Hospital, Canterbury (Chronic Sick—136 beds). Res. or non-res. Geriatric Unit. Pupil Assistant Nurse Training School.

Kent and Sussex Hospital, Tunbridge Wells (303 staffed beds). For Gen. Wards.

Pembury Hospital, Pembury (General—385 staffed available beds). General Ward, General Theatre and Deep Therapy Department.

Sevenoaks Hospital, Sevenoaks (General—81 beds). For private floor. Res. or non-res.

LENNARD HOSPITALS, LENNARD ROAD, BROMLEY
(122 beds)
STAFF NURSES, ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES required for new Geriatric Department of 30 beds.

Ashford Infectious Diseases Hospital, Ashford (24 beds).

POST-GRADUATE COURSES FOR TRAINED NURSES

All Saints Hospital, Chatham (371 beds). S.R.N. Six months' course. Good General Theatre experience.

Southern Hospital, Dartford (260 staffed beds). Twelve months' course in E.N.T. Wards and Theatre, Orthopaedic Wards and Theatre and Urological Wards. Certificates awarded.

Kent County Ophthalmic and Aural Hospital, Maidstone (113 beds). S.R.N.s required for (a) Twelve months' course for Ophthalmic Nursing Diploma. (b) Twelve months' course for E.N.T. Certificate. (c) Four months' course in Aural Theatre. Salary as for Staff Nurses.

Lenham Sanatorium, Nr. Maidstone (168 beds). Female S.R.N.s who wish to take twelve months' course for B.T.A. Certificate.

Joyce Green Hospital, Dartford (400 beds). Twelve months' courses in Fever Unit. Children's Wards and Theatre. Four months' course in Anaesthesia. Certificates awarded.

Preston Hall Hospital, British Legion Village, Nr. Maidstone. Post-graduate training in tuberculosis for the B.T.A. Duration of training one year. Salary as for Staff Nurse plus £30 a year tuberculosis allowance.

West Hill Hospital, Dartford (345 staffed beds). Twelve months' course for S.R.N.s to work on Gynaecological Wards. Certificate awarded. Res. or non-res.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

Russell Stoneham Maternity Hospital, Perry Street, Crayford (30 beds). S.R.N. S.C.M.

Buckland Hospital, Dover (General—199 beds). Complete Training School for Nurses. S.R.N., S.C.M. Junior post.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS—Contd.

Pembury Hospital, Pembury (General—385 staffed available beds). Two posts. Maternity Ward consisting of 66 beds and the hospital is a Part II Midwifery Training School.

STAFF MIDWIVES

Russell Stoneham Maternity Hospital, Perry Street, Crayford. S.R.N., S.C.M. or S.C.M. only.

Hainault Maternity Hospital, Erith (24 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. or S.C.M. only.

Buckland Hospital, Dover (General—199 beds). Complete Training School for Nurses. S.R.N. and S.C.M. or S.C.M. only.

Willesborough Hospital, Willesborough (General—138 beds). Assistant Nurse Training School.

Tunbridge Wells Maternity Home, Tunbridge Wells (24 beds).

Pembury Hospital, Pembury. Maternity Unit of 66 beds. Part II Midwifery Training School.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE)

St. Mary's Hospital, Etchinghill, Nr. Folkestone (Chronic Sick).

Hill House Hospital, Minster, Ramsgate (164 beds at present in use for Chronic Sick and accommodation for 76 infirm residents). Non-res.

West Hill Hospital, Dartford (345 staffed beds). Non-res. For Psychiatric Ward.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

Southern Hospital, Dartford (260 staffed beds). Res. or non-res.

Joyce Green Hospital, Dartford (400 staffed beds). Res. or non-res.

St. Mary's Hospital, Etchinghill (344 beds). Chronic Sick.

Kent County Ophthalmic and Aural Hospital, Maidstone (113 beds). Res. or non-res. For E.N.T. Wards. Knowledge of special work preferred.

Lenham Sanatorium, Nr. Maidstone (168 beds). Res. or non-res. Facilities for taking B.T.A. Certificate.

Royal Sea Bathing Hospital, Margate (200 beds at present in use for Surgical Tuberculosis and Orthopaedic Unit of 41 beds). Res. or non-res.

Victoria Home for Invalid Children, Margate (60 beds). Res. or non-res.

Hill House Hospital, Minster, Ramsgate (164 beds at present in use for Chronic Sick and accommodation for 76 infirm residents). Non-res.

Diabetic Convalescent Home for Women, Birchington-on-Sea (50 beds). Res. or non-res.

Ashford Infectious Diseases Hospital, Ashford (24 beds).

Pembury Hospital, Pembury (General—385 staffed available beds). For General Theatre and Deep Therapy Dept.

David Salomon's House, Southborough (70 beds). Res. or non-res. Convalescent Home for Women.

Haine Hospital, Ramsgate (76 beds for Infectious Diseases and Dermatological Unit of 16 beds).

Sevenoaks Hospital, Sevenoaks (General—81 beds). Res. or non-res.

NURSING AUXILIARIES

St .Mary's Hospital, Etchinghill, Nr. Folkestone (Chronic Sick).

MENTAL NURSING VACANCIES
(IN SOUTH-EAST LONDON, KENT AND EAST SUSSEX)

ASSISTANT MATRONS

Leybourne Grange Colony for Mental Defectives, West Malling, Kent (1,145 beds). Should be qualified in M.D. nursing. General training desirable but not essential. Forms of application from Group Secretary.

Hellingly Mental Hospital, Hailsham, Sussex (890 Female beds). R.M.N. or R.N. an added advantage.

WARD SISTERS

Darenth Park Hospital for Mental Defectives, Nr. Dartford, Kent (1,800 beds).

DEPUTY WARD SISTERS

Hellingly Mental Hospital, Hailsham, Sussex (1,390 beds).

DEPUTY WARD SISTERS—Contd.

Hill House M.D. Colony, Rye Hill, Rye, Sussex (130 beds).

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

St. Francis Hospital, Constance Road, S.E.22 (41 Male Mental Observation beds). Res. or non-res.

West Hill Hospital, Dartford, Kent (345 staffed beds). Res. or non-res.

Stone House Hospital, Nr. Dartford (For Mental and Nervous Disorders). Applications to Physician Superintendent.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

St. Francis Hospital, Constance Road, S.E.22 (41 Male Mental Observation beds). Res. or non-res.

Darenth Park Hospital (For Mental Defectives), Nr. Dartford, Kent (1,800 beds).

West Hill Hospital, Dartford, Kent (345 staffed beds). Res. or non-res.

Hellingly Mental Hospital, Hailsham, Sussex (1,390 beds).

Hill House M.D. Colony, Rye Hill, Rye, Sussex (130 beds).

POST-GRADUATE COURSE FOR TRAINED NURSES

Hellingly Mental Hospital, Hailsham, Sussex (1390 beds). Male and female. 18 months' Course for Register of Mental Nurses.

NURSING ASSISTANTS (MALE and FEMALE)

St. Francis Hospital, Constance Road, S.E.22 (41 each, Male and Female Mental Observation beds). Res. or non-res.

Hill House M.D. Colony, Rye Hill, Rys, Sussex (130 beds). (Female Staff).

West Hill Hospital, Dartford (345 staffed beds). Male. For Psychiatric Ward. Non-res.

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SOUTH WEST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOA

NURSING STAFF VACANCIES

Applications are invited for the following appointments, which should be sent, together with details of age, qualifications, training and experienc and the names of two referees (or copies of two recent testimonials), to the Matron (NT/SW) of the appropriate Hospital, from whom also furthe details may be obtained. Salaries are in accordance with the scales of the Nurses and Midwives Whitley Council or other appropriate Nationa scales.

A list of all hospitals in the region which are recognised Training Schools for Student Nurses, Pupil Assistant Nurses and Pupil Midwives will b sent on application to the Secretary (S.2), 11a, Portland Place, London, W.1.

POST GRADUATE COURSES

SOUTHAMPTON CHEST HOSPITAL, SOUTHAMPTON

Applications are invited from Nurses desiring six months' post-graduate experience in a modern thoracic surgical unit. Operations performed include all types of pulmonary, cardiac and oesophageal surgery. Salary at Staff Nurse rates. Certificates of training are awarded on completion of the course. Facilities are also available to incorporate this period of training with that of the B.T.A. Certificate.

Apply for full particulars to the Matron.

ROYAL EYE HOSPITAL, ST. GEORGE'S CIRCUS, S.E.1 (50 beds). For one year ophthalmic nursing course.

THE WESTERN HOSPITAL, SEAGRAVE ROAD, LONDON, S.W.6, offers one year's statutory training in infectious diseases to State Registered Nurses. In addition to the R.F.N. qualification, during that same year trainees may also obtain the hospital certificate given for three months training in the Special Poliomyelitis Unit. Also State Registered Nurses are accepted for three months special training in the Poliomyelitis Unit only. Hospital certificate awarded on completion of the course.

NETHERNE HOSPITAL, COULSDON, SURREY (2,026 beds). Male and female State Registered Nurses for 18 months' post-graduate training course for entry to the Mental Register of the G.N.C. Apply to Matron or Chief Male Nurse.

BELMONT HOSPITAL, BRIGHTON ROAD, SUTTON, SURREY (500 beds). Special neurosis centre. Reduced scheme of 18 months' training for post-graduate nurses (on the General Register) is in operation.

ST. HELIER HOSPITAL, CARSHALTON, SURREY (711 beds). Training for B.T.A. Certificate in affiliation with Midhurst Sanatorium. Non-resident male and resident or non-resident female student considered. The terms begin in May and November. Next Theatre Course for nine months, commencing 1st January. Previous experience not essential. Lectures given. All types of surgery available in the five theatres. Good experience in anaesthetic department. Certificate awarded.

ST. PETER'S HOSPITAL, CHERTSEY, SURREY (General—430 beds). Theatre course. Six months' excellent general theatre experience offered to recently qualified State Registered Nurses. Certificate awarded on completion of course.

HOLLOWAY SANATORIUM, VIRGINIA WATER, SURREY (355 male beds. 380 female beds). S.R.N.s for 18 months' post-registration psychiatric training. Accommodation in nurses' home or male nurses' hostel. Apply to Matron or Chief Male Nurse.

MAYDAY HOSPITAL, MAYDAY ROAD, CROYDON, SURREY (611 beds). Post-registration Student Nurses or for refresher courses in accordance with recommendations of the General Nursing Council for England and Wales. Shortened period of training for candidates already on the Supplementary Register of the G.N.C.

CROYDON GENERAL HOSPITAL, CROYDON (200 beds). Post-graduate Students welcomed for periods of reduced training.

SALISBURY GENERAL HOSPITAL, SALISBURY (627 beds). S.R.N. for post-graduate course of training in the Ear, Nose and Throat Department. Candidates prepared for Midland Institute of Otology Certificate. Also S.R.N. for six months' post-graduate course in the Department of Plastic and Oral Surgery and 12 months' post-graduate training in general and special theatres. Vacancies occur on 1st January, 1st April, 1st July and 1st October.

SOUTH WEST LONDON

SISTER TUTORS

ST. JAMES' HOSPITAL, BALHAM, S.W.12 (General—530 beds). Study day system of training. Resident or non-resident.

DEPARTMENTAL SISTERS

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, ST. JOHN'S HILL, S.W.11 (Chronic Sick with Tuberculosis and Mental Observation—470 beds). For Chronic Sick and Orthopaedic Wards, and Theatre Orthopaedic work.

ST. JAMES' HOSPITAL, BALHAM, S.W.12 (General—530 beds). **Theatre Superintendent.** Resident or non-resident.

SISTERS

BOLINGBROKE HOSPITAL, WANDSWORTH COMMON, S.W.11 (General—135 beds). **Ward Sister** for Women's Surgical and Gynaecological Ward; also **Relief Sister.**

ST. BENEDICT'S HOSPITAL, CHURCH LANE, S.W.17 (Chronic Sick and Rehabilitation—301 beds). Ward Sister for relief duties. Day or night duty as required. Resident or non-resident.

METROPOLITAN EAR, NOSE AND THROAT HOSPITAL (at ST. MARY ABBOT HOSPITAL), MARLOES ROAD, KENSINGTON, W.8. For busy Out-patient Department. Required immediately. Resident or non-resident.

SOUTH WESTERN HOSPITAL, LANDOR ROAD, STOCKWELL, S.W.9 (300 beds). For Female Geriatric Ward. Vacancy February, 1957.

ST. STEPHEN'S HOSPITAL, FULHAM ROAD, S.W.10 (General—476 beds). Ward Sister. S.R.N. Resident or non-resident.

ST. LUKE'S HOSPITAL, SYDNEY STREET, CHELSEA, S.W.3 (Chronic Sick—264 beds). Ward Sister. S.R.N. Resident or non-resident.

SOUTH WEST LONDON—Contd.

SISTERS—Continued

NORWOOD HOSPITAL, HERMITAGE ROAD, S.E.19 (General—3 Junior Sister for out-patient and casualty departments. Very busy depar

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

ST. JAMES' HOSPITAL, BALHAM, S.W.12 (General—530 beds). Orthopaedic, Medical, and Surgical Theatre. Special experience in Pre Baby Unit, if required. Resident or non-resident.

BATTERSEA GENERAL HOSPITAL, BATTERSEA PARK, S.W.11 (Ge 79 beds). For Theatre.

BOLINGBROKE HOSPITAL, WANDSWORTH COMMON, S.W.11 (Ge 135 beds). For Medical and Surgical Wards and one for night duty.

PUTNEY HOSPITAL, LOWER COMMON, S.W.15 (General—106 beds Male Surgical Ward.

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, ST. JOHN'S HILL, S.W.11 (Chronic Sick Tuberculosis and Mental Observation—470 beds). For Chronic Sick Ward

NORWOOD HOSPITAL, HERMITAGE ROAD, S.E.19 (General—38

LAMBETH HOSPITAL, BROOK DRIVE, S.E.11 (486 beds). For Wards; and for night duty, full-time (five nights off per fortnight).

SOUTH WESTERN HOSPITAL, LANDOR ROAD, STOCKWELL, (300 beds). Staff Nurses for Geriatric Wards—Training School for Ass Nurses.

SOUTH LONDON HOSPITAL, CLAPHAM COMMON, S.W.4 (250 Full-time.

ROYAL EYE HOSPITAL, ST. GEORGE'S CIRCUS, S.E.1 (50 Ophthalmic Diploma or experience.

ST. STEPHEN'S HOSPITAL, FULHAM ROAD, S.W.10 (General—476 S.R.N.s for wards and one each for theatre and casualty. Resident or non-re

PRINCESS BEATRICE HOSPITAL, EARLS COURT, S.W.5 (Ge 100 beds). Staff Nurses, S.R.N., for general work and one for theatre. E or non-resident.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

WANDSWORTH GROUP MATERNITY UNIT (St. James' and Weir Ho S.W.12) (Part I Training School—89 beds). Resident or non-resident. Appl to Matron, St. James' Hospital, Balham, S.W.12.

STAFF MIDWIVES

SOUTH LONDON HOSPITAL, CLAPHAM COMMON, S.W.4 (250

LAMBETH HOSPITAL, BROOK DRIVE, S.E.11 (486 beds. Mate 74 beds). Experience in Premature Baby Unit.

ANNIE McCALL MATERNITY HOSPITAL, JEFFREYS ROAD, (36 beds). Part II Training School. Opportunity to study for the

WANDSWORTH GROUP MATERNITY UNIT (St. James' and Weir Ho S.W.12) (Part I Training School—89 beds). **Special experience** in Pre Baby Unit, if required. Resident or non-resident. Apply to Matron, St. Hospital, Balham, S.W.12.

PRINCESS BEATRICE HOSPITAL, EARLS COURT, S.W.5 (Ge 100 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. for Maternity Department (non-teaching Resident or non-resident.

NELSON HOSPITAL, KINGSTON ROAD, S.W.20 (122 beds). G Hospital. Part I Training School.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

WANDSWORTH GROUP MATERNITY UNIT (St. James' and Weir Ho S.W.12) (Part I Training School—89 beds). May school. Resident or non-re Applications to St. James' Hospital, Balham, S.W.12.

LAMBETH HOSPITAL, BROOK DRIVE, S.E.11 (486 beds. Maternity—74

NELSON HOSPITAL, KINGSTON ROAD, S.W.20 (122 beds). Part I tra

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

NORWOOD AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, HERMITAGE ROAD, (General—38 beds).

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, ST. JOHN'S HILL, S.W.11 (Chronic Sick Tuberculosis and Mental Observation—470 beds). For Chronic Sick Wards

SOUTH WESTERN HOSPITAL, LANDOR ROAD, STOCKWELL, (300 beds). Training School for Assistant Nurses.

SOUTH LONDON HOSPITAL, CLAPHAM COMMON, S.W.4 (250 Day or night duty. Full or part-time.

ST. BENEDICT'S HOSPITAL, CHURCH LANE, TOOTING, S.W.17 (Sick and Rehabilitation—301 beds). Resident or non-resident.

ST. LUKE'S HOSPITAL, SYDNEY STREET, CHELSEA, S.W.3 (Sick—246 beds). Resident or non-resident.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE)

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, ST. JOHN'S HILL, S.W.11 (Chronic Sick Tuberculosis and Mental Observation—470 beds). For Chronic Sick Wards

SOUTH WESTERN HOSPITAL, LANDOR ROAD, STOCKWELL, (300 beds). Training School for Assistant Nurses.

NURSING AUXILIARIES

NORWOOD HOSPITAL, HERMITAGE ROAD, S.E.19 (General—38

SOUTH WEST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—(Contd.)

SURREY

VICTORIA HOSPITAL, WOKING
(72 beds)

STAFF NURSE required for theatre duty. Busy hospital within easy access of London.
Apply Matron.

QUEEN MARY'S HOSPITAL FOR CHILDREN CARSHALTON

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT required. Must be R.S.C.N. and S.R.N. Busy hospital including acute medical and surgical work. Experience in large hospital an advantage.

Applications, in writing, to the Matron.

THE ROWLEY BRISTOW ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL PYRFORD, Nr. WOKING
(200 beds)

ASSISTANT MATRON

Applications are invited for the above post. Applicants must be State Registered Nurses with orthopaedic and administrative experience (possession of the Orthopaedic Nursing Certificate an advantage). Salary in accordance with the Whitley Council scale.

Applications, which must include the names of three referees, should be sent to the Matron.

SISTER TUTORS

FARNHAM HOSPITAL, HALE ROAD, FARNHAM (Mainly Acute—178 beds). Tutor Certificate desirable, but experienced Ward Sister considered. To assist principal Tutor.

MAYDAY HOSPITAL, MAYDAY ROAD, CROYDON (611 beds). **Midwifery Tutor**—increase of establishment. Part I Training School, 86 beds. Up-to-date unit. Forty Pupil Midwives yearly. Normal and abnormal midwifery. Non-resident.

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT

CROYDON GENERAL HOSPITAL, LONDON ROAD, CROYDON (200 beds). One of three. Good experience in busy hospital. London and South Coast within easy reach. Resident or non-resident.

HOME SISTER

ST. PETER'S HOSPITAL, CHERTSEY (430 beds). Second Home Sister. S.R.N. Good experience offered in country hospital, three-quarters of an hour by train from London. General training school.

DEPARTMENTAL SISTER

QUEEN'S HOSPITAL, QUEEN'S ROAD, CROYDON (Geriatric Unit—434 beds). In charge of wing of wards (107 beds) with two or more Sisters to assist her. The hospital is actively engaged in the re-ablement of patients in the Chronic Sick and Geriatric Wards.

NIGHT SISTERS

ST. HELIER HOSPITAL, CARSHALTON (711 beds). One of five. Vacancy January. Resident or non-resident. Good experience and facilities. Prospects of Ward Sister's post later.

CROYDON GENERAL HOSPITAL, CROYDON (200 beds). To relieve Night Superintendent.

QUEEN'S HOSPITAL, QUEEN'S ROAD, CROYDON (Geriatric Unit—434 beds). To work as one of four with Night Superintendent.

ST. ANNE'S, REDHILL (65 beds). In sole charge. For Chronic Sick Ward.

EPSOM DISTRICT HOSPITAL, DORKING ROAD, EPSOM (306 beds). With some theatre experience.

THEATRE SISTERS

REDHILL COUNTY HOSPITAL, EARLSWOOD COMMON, REDHILL (552 beds).

OXTED AND LIMPSFIELD HOSPITAL, EASTLANDS WAY, OXTED (50 beds).

ST. HELIER HOSPITAL, CARSHALTON (711 beds). Own theatre, working under a Theatre Superintendent. Excellent experience.

CROYDON GENERAL HOSPITAL, CROYDON (200 beds). Theatre Sister, experience, for night duty.

ROYAL EYE HOSPITAL, UPPER BRIGHTON ROAD, SURBITON (30 beds). Theatre and Out-patient Department Sister.

EPSOM DISTRICT HOSPITAL, DORKING ROAD, EPSOM (306 beds).

SISTERS

QUEEN'S HOSPITAL, QUEEN'S ROAD, CROYDON (Geriatric Unit—434 beds). Sisters to work with Departmental Sisters and Night Superintendent. Applicants wishing particularly to do night duty should state this in their application.

THE ROWLEY BRISTOW ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL, PYRFORD, WOKING (200 beds). Sisters, first and second point on salary scale. Facilities for taking O.N.C. Also Sister for Children's Ward. O.N.C. essential.

SHABDEN PARK HOSPITAL, HIGH ROAD, CHIPSTEAD (Female Chronic Sick—60 beds). Ward Sister.

EAST SURREY HOSPITAL, SHREWSBURY ROAD, REDHILL (139 beds). Night relief duties.

COMERAGH COURT CONVALESCENT HOME, WOKING (Male T.B.—50 beds). Ward Sister. T.A. Certificate.

ST. PETER'S HOSPITAL, CHERTSEY (430 beds). Ward Sister, S.R.N., for Women's Orthopaedic Ward.

ROYAL EYE HOSPITAL, UPPER BRIGHTON ROAD, SURBITON (30 beds). Ward Sister. Diploma of ophthalmic nursing an advantage.

ST. HELIER HOSPITAL, CARSHALTON (711 beds). Ward Sisters for new Gynaecological Ward of 30 beds and for a busy 30-bedded Male Medical Ward. Interesting work. Also Casualty and Out-patient Sister. Vacancy on 1st January. Previous experience desirable. Interesting, brisk work.

SURREY—Contd.

HOLIDAY RELIEF SISTERS

QUEEN'S HOSPITAL, QUEEN'S ROAD, CROYDON (Geriatric Unit—434 beds). Two required for approximately six months. Applications considered for shorter or longer periods.

THE ROWLEY BRISTOW ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL, PYRFORD, WOKING (200 beds).

DORKING GENERAL HOSPITAL, HORSHAM ROAD, DORKING (252 beds). Ward Sister.

ST. HELIER HOSPITAL, CARSHALTON (711 beds). Interesting, acute work. Ward or theatre.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

EAST SURREY HOSPITAL, SHREWSBURY ROAD, REDHILL (139 beds). For Casualty and O.P. Department.

GODSTONE I.D. HOSPITAL, BLETCHINGLEY (36 beds).

REDHILL COUNTY HOSPITAL, EARLSWOOD COMMON, REDHILL (552 beds). For Theatre and for General Wards.

DORKING GENERAL HOSPITAL, HORSHAM ROAD, DORKING (252 beds). For Theatre and for General Wards.

ST. ANNE'S, REDHILL (65 beds). For Chronic Sick Ward.

SUTTON AND CHEAM HOSPITAL, COTSWOLD ROAD, SUTTON (146 beds). For day or night duty. Also one S.R.N. for Theatre.

ST. HELIER HOSPITAL, CARSHALTON (711 beds). For Acute Ward, Theatre and Thoracic Unit. Resident or non-resident.

WADDON HOSPITAL, PURLEY WAY, CROYDON (Partly Acute—179 beds). Staff Nurses, resident or non-resident, inc. one for Male T.B. Wards of 22 beds. Good working conditions. Free travelling facilities to and from Central Croydon.

PURLEY HOSPITAL, BRIGHTON ROAD, PURLEY. For night duty and one for day duty.

MAYDAY HOSPITAL, MAYDAY ROAD, CROYDON (611 beds). **Staff Nurses, S.R.N.,** for General, Gynaecological and Orthopaedic Theatres; **Senior Staff Nurses** and also **Staff Nurses recently State Registered** who wish to further their experience in medical, surgical, gynaecological or children's nursing; Midwifery Department or Theatre; and **Staff Nurse for Chest Ward.** The ward comprises 32 beds and patients are admitted for early treatment including P.A.S. and collapse therapy, before transfer to sanatorium. Resident or non-resident posts, and **vacancies occurring 1st January, 1957.**

QUEEN'S HOSPITAL, QUEEN'S ROAD, CROYDON (Geriatric Unit—434 beds). S.R.N. accepted for short periods, e.g., between first and second part of midwifery training.

CROYDON GENERAL HOSPITAL, LONDON ROAD, CROYDON (200 beds). For Ophthalmic Wards—good ophthalmic experience would be considered; for Theatre Unit of two theatres—day and/or night duty; and for Medical and Surgical Wards, day or night duty. Resident or non-resident.

THAMES DITTON HOSPITAL, WESTON GREEN ROAD, THAMES DITTON (16 beds). Full-time. Resident. Apply immediately.

WOKING VICTORIA HOSPITAL, WOKING (72 beds). Staff Nurses for Private Bed Annexe (12 beds. Acute work) and one with theatre experience.

ST. PETER'S HOSPITAL, CHERTSEY (430 beds). S.R.N.s for busy general theatre and for wards.

OTTERSHAW HOSPITAL, MURRAY ROAD, OTTERSHAW, CHERTSEY (62 beds). With fever experience.

FRIMLEY AND CAMBERLEY DISTRICT HOSPITAL, FRIMLEY, Nr. ALDERSHOT (Acute—38 beds, including 7 Maternity). S.R.N. Resident or non-resident.

ROWLEY BRISTOW ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL, PYRFORD, WOKING (200 beds).

MILFORD CHEST HOSPITAL, GODALMING (324 beds). S.R.N. or B.T.A. Facilities for taking B.T.A. Examination.

EPSOM DISTRICT HOSPITAL, DORKING ROAD, EPSOM (306 beds). For theatre.

CUDDINGTON HOSPITAL, BANSTEAD (126 beds). S.R.N. or R.F.N. for Convalescent, Fever and Female Geriatric Wards.

HASLEMERE AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, HASLEMERE (82 beds). Combined Training School. S.R.N.s for day duty on Men's Medical, Surgical and Orthopaedic Ward, also one for ward duties. Resident or non-resident.

ROYAL EYE HOSPITAL, UPPER BRIGHTON ROAD, SURBITON (30 beds). S.R.N. Diploma of Ophthalmic Nursing Board.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

QUEEN'S HOSPITAL, QUEEN'S ROAD, CROYDON (Geriatric Unit—434 beds). S.R.N. Two vacancies only.

ST. HELIER HOSPITAL, CARSHALTON (711 beds). Immediate vacancy. Acute Surgical Ward. Non-resident.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

MAYDAY HOSPITAL, MAYDAY ROAD, CROYDON (611 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Maternity Unit of 80 beds; Part I Training School for the Examination of the C.M.B. Labour Ward. Mother and infant experience in turn. Candidates interested in post-graduate courses receive special consideration. Resident or non-resident.

REDHILL COUNTY HOSPITAL, EARLSWOOD COMMON, REDHILL (552 beds).

WOKING MATERNITY HOSPITAL, HEATHSIDE ROAD, WOKING. Part II Midwifery Training School (54 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

HASLEMERE AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, HASLEMERE (82 beds). Combined Training School. Maternity Night Sister in sole charge. S.R.N., S.C.M., for Maternity Unit. Resident or non-resident.

SUTTON AND CHEAM HOSPITAL, COTSWOLD ROAD, SUTTON (146 beds). For Maternity Annexe

STAFF MIDWIVES

REDHILL COUNTY HOSPITAL, EARLSWOOD COMMON, REDHILL (552 beds).

DORKING GENERAL HOSPITAL, HORSHAM ROAD, DORKING (252 beds).

ST. MARY'S MATERNITY HOSPITAL, ST. JAMES' ROAD, WEST CROYDON (33 beds). Part II Training School. Good experience to be obtained.

MAYDAY HOSPITAL, MAYDAY ROAD, CROYDON (611 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Busy up-to-date unit, Labour Ward, mother and infant experience in turn. Candidates interested in post-graduate courses receive special consideration. Resident or non-resident.

WOKING MATERNITY HOSPITAL, HEATHSIDE ROAD, WOKING. Part II Midwifery Training School (54 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

WALTON MATERNITY HOME, RODNEY ROAD, WALTON-ON-THAMES (16 beds).

HASLEMERE AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, HASLEMERE (82 beds). Combined Training School. S.R.N., S.C.M. Excellent experience with deliveries. Resident or non-resident.

ST. HELIER HOSPITAL, CARSHALTON (711 beds). Vacancy 1st January. Unit has 105 beds. Premature Baby Unit and Milk Room. Part I Training School.

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SOUTH WEST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—(Contd.)

SURREY—Contd.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

REDHILL COUNTY HOSPITAL, EARLSWOOD COMMON, REDHILL (552 beds). Part I training. Next course commences 1st May, 1957.

ST. HELIER HOSPITAL, CARSHALTON (711 beds). For Part I training. Schools 31st January, 30th April, 31st July and 31st October each year. Unit has 105 beds. Premature Baby Ward and Milk Room.

WOKING MATERNITY HOSPITAL, HEATHSIDE ROAD, WOKING. Part II midwifery training. Vacancies 1st March, 1957.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

HORLEY AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, BRIGHTON ROAD, HORLEY (16 beds).

REDHILL COUNTY HOSPITAL, EARLSWOOD COMMON, REDHILL (552 beds). For General and Maternity Wards. Day or night duty.

DORKING GENERAL HOSPITAL, HORSHAM ROAD, DORKING (252 beds).

MAYDAY HOSPITAL, MAYDAY ROAD, CROYDON (611 beds). For Chest and Chronic Wards. Resident or non-resident.

CROYDON GENERAL HOSPITAL, CROYDON (200 beds). Wards and departments—day or night duty. Resident or non-resident.

WADDON HOSPITAL, PURLEY WAY, CROYDON (Partly Acute—179 beds). S.E.A.N.s, resident or non-resident. Good working conditions. Free travelling facilities to and from Central Croydon.

QUEEN'S HOSPITAL, QUEEN'S ROAD, CROYDON (Geriatric Unit—434 beds). Applicants taken awaiting enrolment.

EPSOM DISTRICT HOSPITAL, DORKING ROAD, EPSOM (306 beds).

EWELL PARK HOSPITAL, EWELL PARK WAY, LONDON ROAD, EWELL (Male Chronic Sick—70 beds). Applications to Epsom District Hospital, Epsom.

CUDDINGTON HOSPITAL, BANSTEAD (126 beds). For Female Geriatric Ward.

FRIMLEY AND CAMBERLEY DISTRICT HOSPITAL, FRIMLEY, Nr. ALDERSHOT (Acute—38 beds including 7 maternity). Resident or non-resident.

ROYAL EYE HOSPITAL, UPPER BRIGHTON ROAD, SURBITON (30 beds).

ST. PETER'S HOSPITAL, CHERTSEY (430 beds). For General Wards and Casualty Department.

WOKING VICTORIA HOSPITAL, WOKING (72 beds).

WALTON HOSPITAL, WALTON-ON-THAMES, (35 beds). For duty in theatre.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE)

QUEEN'S HOSPITAL, QUEEN'S ROAD, CROYDON (Geriatric Unit—434 beds).

DORKING GENERAL HOSPITAL, HORSHAM ROAD, DORKING (252 beds).

REDHILL COUNTY HOSPITAL, EARLSWOOD COMMON, REDHILL (552 beds). For General Wards. Day or night duty.

NURSING AUXILIARIES

EPSOM DISTRICT HOSPITAL, DORKING ROAD, EPSOM (306 beds).

EWELL PARK HOSPITAL, EWELL PARK WAY, LONDON ROAD, EWELL (Male Chronic Sick—70 beds). Applications to Epsom District Hospital, Epsom.

WADDON HOSPITAL, PURLEY WAY, CROYDON (Partly Acute—179 beds). Full or part-time for new Geriatric Ward of 22 beds. Part-time specially required for evening up to 8 p.m.; week-ends, Saturdays and Sunday; and night duty—minimum, two nights weekly. Good working conditions. Free travelling facilities to and from Central London.

QUEEN'S HOSPITAL, QUEEN'S ROAD, CROYDON (Geriatric Unit—434 beds). Full-time. Applicants for training can be employed as Auxiliaries until entry into Training School.

FRIMLEY AND CAMBERLEY DISTRICT HOSPITAL, FRIMLEY, Nr. ALDERSHOT (Acute—38 beds including 7 maternity). Resident or non-resident.

HAMPSHIRE

CHRISTCHURCH HOSPITAL, CHRISTCHURCH

Opening of new Theatre and Surgical Blocks

The following staff are required in the early months of the New Year:

DEPARTMENTAL THEATRE SISTER.
THEATRE SISTER.
NIGHT SISTER.
WARD SISTERS. Three required.
STAFF NURSES for Theatre, Acute Male and Female, Surgical, Medical and Children's Wards.
S.E.A.N.s for Acute and Chronic Wards.

There are also **immediate** vacancies for Staff Nurses and S.E.A.N.s. The hospital is situated in beautiful grounds near the sea and the New Forest. Beach hut, tennis courts and television available.

Applications giving details of age and experience, together with the names of two referees, should be forwarded to the Matron.

NIGHT SISTERS

FORDINGBRIDGE COTTAGE HOSPITAL, FORDINGBRIDGE (28 beds). Sole charge. S.R.N., S.C.M. To undertake all night deliveries. Resident or non-resident.

ROYAL PORTSMOUTH HOSPITAL, COMMERCIAL ROAD, PORTSMOUTH (254 beds). To work with Night Superintendent. Resident or non-resident.

THEATRE SISTERS

SOUTHAMPTON CHEST HOSPITAL, OAKLEY ROAD, MILLBROOK, SOUTHAMPTON (261 beds). S.R.N. Pulmonary, oesophageal and cardiac surgery.

SISTERS

WHITE HOUSE CHILDREN'S SANATORIUM, MILFORD-ON-SEA (42 beds). Junior Sister or female Staff Nurse. S.R.N., R.S.C.N. or T.A. Resident preferred.

FIRS SANATORIUM, TRINITY ROAD, BOURNEMOUTH (34 beds). Ward Sister, S.R.N., with T.A. Certificate or T.B. nursing experience. Resident.

ROMSEY HOSPITAL, ROMSEY (28 beds). Ward Sister. S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident.

SOUTHAMPTON CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL, BURSLEDON ANNEXE (54 beds). Sister in Charge. R.S.C.N., S.R.N. Resident. Applications to Southampton Children's Hospital, Winchester Road, Southampton.

HAMPSHIRE—Contd.

SISTERS—Continued

LYMINGTON INFIRMARY, LYMINGTON (60 beds). S.R.N. for Male Geriatric Unit. Applications to Lymington Hospital, Lymington.

KING GEORGE'S SANATORIUM FOR SAILORS, BRAMSHOTT PL LIPHOOK (78 beds). Ward Sister. S.R.N. and B.T.A.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

SOUTHAMPTON CHEST HOSPITAL, OAKLEY ROAD, MILLBR SOUTHAMPTON (261 beds). S.R.N. for B.T.A. training.

LYMINGTON HOSPITAL, LYMINGTON (95 beds). S.R.N.s: one for th two for wards.

LYMINGTON INFIRMARY, LYMINGTON (60 beds). S.R.N. for Ge Unit. Applications to Lymington Hospital, Lymington.

STAFF MIDWIVES

FARNBOROUGH AND COVE WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, ALBERT R FARNBOROUGH (Acute—34 beds, including 12 Maternity). S.R.N., S.C. S.C.M. only. Resident or non-resident.

HILLRISE MATERNITY HOSPITAL, LYNDHURST (9 beds). S S.C.M. or S.C.M. only. Resident or non-resident.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

KING GEORGE'S SANATORIUM FOR SAILORS, BRAMSHOTT PL LIPHOOK (78 beds). Facilities for taking B.T.A. Examination.

HENRY GAUVAIN HOSPITAL, ALTON (General surgery and orth cases). Resident or non-resident.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE)

KING GEORGE'S SANATORIUM FOR SAILORS, BRAMSHOTT PL LIPHOOK (78 beds). Facilities for taking B.T.A. Examination.

ISLE OF WIGHT

THE ROYAL NATIONAL HOSPITAL FOR DISEASE OF THE CHEST, VENTNOR, I.W.

(241 beds)

STUDENT NURSES (male and female). Training school under G.N. Special three years' training: one year in a chest hospital and two ye in a general hospital. Hospital is also two-year training school British T.A. Certificate.

STAFF NURSES (female). S.R.N., B.T.A.

ASSISTANT NURSES (female). S.E.A.N.

POST-GRADUATE TRAINING. STAFF NURSES (female). S.R. One year's post-graduate training for B.T.A. Certificate.

THEATRE SISTER

ROYAL I.W. COUNTY HOSPITAL, RYDE, I.W. (116 beds). General Training School. Theatre diploma preferred.

SISTERS

THE ROYAL NATIONAL HOSPITAL FOR DISEASES OF THE C VENTNOR, I.W. (241 beds). Ward Sister for relief duties. S.R.N. B.T advantage. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL, NEWPORT, I.W. (345 beds). One for M Ward day duty, one for General Theatre and one for 28-bedded Surgical

ROYAL ISLE OF WIGHT COUNTY HOSPITAL, RYDE, I.W. (116 General Nurse Training School. Two Staff Nurses for Theatre; will be theatre procedure, if necessary.

WILTSHIRE

SISTER TUTOR

SALISBURY GENERAL HOSPITAL, SALISBURY (627 beds). In ch Preliminary Training School. Resident post. Required immediately. Appl to Matron, Salisbury General Infirmary.

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT

SALISBURY GENERAL HOSPITAL, SALISBURY. General Infirmary (166 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Required immediately. Busy, acute general h Should have good Ward Sisters' experience.

NIGHT SISTERS

SALISBURY GENERAL HOSPITAL, SALISBURY (627 beds). S.R. **Newbridge Branch** (Geriatric hospital—90 beds). Immediate vacancy.

THEATRE SISTERS

SALISBURY GENERAL HOSPITAL, SALISBURY (627 beds). Two For Odstock Branch. S.R.N. with good theatre experience. Gynaec orthopaedic, children's and plastic and oral surgery. To work with Superintendent. Also Theatre Sister for General Infirmary Branch. Busy Theatre. Post vacant end of December. Apply Salisbury General Infirmary

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

HARNWOOD HOSPITAL, SALISBURY (T.B.—51 beds). S.R.N. preferred. Part-time or whole-time, required for night duty. Resi non-resident.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

HARNWOOD HOSPITAL, SALISBURY (T.B.—51 beds). S.R.N. preferred. Part-time or whole-time. For night duty. Non-resident.

SOUTH WEST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—(Contd.)

DORSET

MIDWIFERY SISTER

WESTMINSTER MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, SHAFTESBURY (General—20 beds. aternity—10 beds). Temporary Midwifery Sister or temporary Staff Midwife. .N., S.C.M.

STAFF MIDWIVES

WESTMINSTER MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, SHAFTESBURY (General—20 beds. aternity—10 beds). Temporary Staff Midwife or temporary Midwifery Sister. .N., S.C.M.

WEST SUSSEX

THEATRE SISTER

HORSHAM HOSPITAL, HURST ROAD, HORSHAM (75 beds).

SISTER

MIDHURST COTTAGE HOSPITAL, MIDHURST (22 beds). Ward Sister. eatre experience an advantage.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

ST. RICHARD'S HOSPITAL, SPITALFIELD LANE, CHICHESTER (400 beds). Wards or Theatre.

ROFFEY PARK REHABILITATION CENTRE, HORSHAM (117 beds). .N. for day and night duty. Resident. This hospital provides a 12 months rse in phychiatric training.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

CHICHESTER I.D. HOSPITAL, SPITALFIELD LANE, CHICHESTER beds).

ST. RICHARD'S HOSPITAL, SPITALFIELD LANE, CHICHESTER (400 beds).

SOUTH LONDON HOSPITAL (COUNTRY BRANCH), WOODHURST, ASE COTTAGE, CRAWLEY (50 beds). For day duty and night duty. Full part-time.

PETWORTH COTTAGE HOSPITAL, PETWORTH (13 beds). For night duty.

STAFF MIDWIVES

ST. RICHARD'S HOSPITAL, SPITALFIELD LANE, CHICHESTER (400 beds)

NURSING AUXILIARIES

PETWORTH COTTAGE HOSPITAL, PETWORTH (13 beds).

MENTAL NURSING VACANCIES

SENIOR ASSISTANT MATRON

NETHERNE HOSPITAL, COULSDON, SURREY (2,026 beds). S.R.N., R.M.N.

HOME SISTER

WARLINGHAM PARK HOSPITAL, WARLINGHAM, SURREY. Residential ommodation available. Applications to the Group Secretary at the hospital.

NIGHT SISTERS

NETHERNE HOSPITAL, COULSDON, SURREY (2,026 beds). Must be lified mental nurses and preference will be given to applicants with general ining. Separate sisters' home or non-resident if required. To work under ht Superintendent.

WARD SISTERS

TOOTING BEC HOSPITAL, TOOTING BEC ROAD, LONDON, S.W.17.

HORTON HOSPITAL, EPSOM, SURREY (1,002 beds). R.M.N. and to be rested in student nurse training. Required early in New Year.

LONG GROVE HOSPITAL, EPSOM, SURREY (1,100 beds). R.M.P.A. or .N. Progressive hospital. All modern treatments carried out.

BANSTEAD HOSPITAL, SUTTON, SURREY (1,550 female beds).

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

BELMONT HOSPITAL, BRIGHTON ROAD, SUTTON SURREY (500 beds). cial Neurosis Centre. Staff Nurse, must be on Mental Register of the G.N.C. be fully acquainted with all modern treatments, also Staff Nurse, must be ral and mental trained, be familiar with physical treatments and capable of sting in operating theatre.

MAYDAY HOSPITAL, MAYDAY ROAD, CROYDON (611 beds). erably S.R.N., R.M.N. Small unit of 6 beds for patients on Order and patient Clinics, E.C.T., etc. Resident or non-resident.

LONG GROVE HOSPITAL, EPSOM, SURREY (1,100 female beds). R.M.P.A. R.M.N. Progressive hospital. All modern treatments carried out. Application ms from Matron.

WEST PARK HOSPITAL, EPSOM, SURREY (1,285 female beds).

BANSTEAD HOSPITAL, SUTTON, SURREY (1,550 female beds).

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

WEST PARK HOSPITAL, EPSOM, SURREY (1,090 male beds).

MAYDAY HOSPITAL. MAYDAY ROAD, CROYDON, SURREY (611 beds). ern Psychiatric Unit. Six beds for patients under observation and Out-patients' ics. Non-resident.

BANSTEAD HOSPITAL, SUTTON, SURREY (850 male beds). Apply Chief se Nurse.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, ST. JOHN'S HILL, S.W.11 (Chronic Sick with erculosis and Mental Observation—470 beds). For Female Mental Observation t.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE)

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, ST. JOHN'S HILL, S.W.11 (Chronic Sick with erculosis and Mental Observation—470 beds). For Male Mental Observation t.

STUDENT NURSE TRAINING AND PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSE TRAINING

There are vacancies for (A) STUDENT NURSES and (B) PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES at the undermentioned hospitals and applications are invited from women (and where indicated from men), aged 18-30 years, to take the course of three years' general training for State Registration. The course for PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES is of two years' duration. An allowance of between £260 and £285 a year is payable during training, less £119 for board, lodging and uniform if resident. Additional single cash payment of £5 (A) on passing Preliminary State Examination or (B) on completion of training and passing the test for enrolment. Four weeks' paid leave each year. For full details please apply to the Matron of the hospital

(A) STUDENT NURSES

ST. STEPHEN'S HOSPITAL, FULHAM ROAD, S.W.10 (General—476 beds). G.C.E. preferably. Resident.

PRINCESS BEATRICE HOSPITAL, EARLS COURT, S.W.5 (General—100 beds). Resident.

ST. JAMES' HOSPITAL, BALHAM, S.W.12 (General—530 beds). Female resident. Male, non-resident. January and April schools.

EPSOM DISTRICT HOSPITAL, DORKING ROAD, EPSOM (306 beds).

CROYDON GENERAL HOSPITAL, LONDON ROAD, CROYDON, SURREY (General—200 beds). For January school. Block system of training.

MAYDAY HOSPITAL, MAYDAY ROAD, CROYDON (611 beds). Training School for Nurses. There are vacancies for the Preliminary Training School commencing in January, 1957. Resident or non-resident. Applications also welcomed from Male Nurses, R.M.N., for general training. Shortened period in accordance with the ruling of the General Nursing Council.

ST. PETER'S HOSPITAL, CHERTSEY, SURREY (430 beds). Vacancies for candidates with good standard of education. Hospital in country surroundings, three-quarters of an hour by train from London. Entry dates: 1st April, 1st July and 7th October, 1957. Shortened courses for Nurses on Supplementary Registers.

WOKING VICTORIA HOSPITAL, WOKING, SURREY (72 beds). Vacancies for 1957 schools. January, April, etc.

ST. RICHARD'S HOSPITAL, SPITALFIELD LANE, CHICHESTER (400 beds). For Preliminary Training School commencing January, April and September, 1957.

SALISBURY GENERAL HOSPITAL (627 beds). Training School for General Register (male and female). Vacancies occur in the Preliminary Training School in January, April, July and October, each year.

(B) PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES

ST. LUKE'S HOSPITAL, SYDNEY STREET, CHELSEA, S.W.3 (Chronic Sick—264 beds). Female. Resident or non-resident.

DORKING GENERAL HOSPITAL, HORSHAM ROAD, DORKING (252 beds).

ST. BENEDICT'S HOSPITAL, CHURCH LANE, TOOTING, S.W.17 (Chronic Sick and Rehabilitation—301 beds). Resident or non-resident.

QUEEN'S HOSPITAL, QUEEN'S ROAD, CROYDON, SURREY (Geriatric Unit—434 beds). Applications are invited from young men and women who have reached 18 years of age. Entrants will be considered up to the age of 50. Male pupils are non-resident and women may be resident or non-resident. The Preliminary Training School commences on the first day of January, April, July and October.

CUDDINGTON HOSPITAL, BANSTEAD, SURREY (126 beds). Good practical experience in nursing of children, geriatric and convalescent patients. Modern nurses' home.

EPSOM DISTRICT HOSPITAL, DORKING ROAD, EPSOM (306 beds).

ST. RICHARD'S HOSPITAL, SPITALFIELD LANE, CHICHESTER (400 beds). Preliminary Training Schools commencing March, July and November, 1957.

STUDENT MENTAL NURSE TRAINING

There are vacancies for Student Nurses at the following hospitals with allowances on entry into training of £305 at age 18, £315 at age 19, £330 at age 20, less £119 for board, lodging and uniform if resident. At age 21 or over, Training Allowances are between £390 and £420 less £144 for board, lodging, etc. £40 proficiency allowance payable on passing Preliminary Examination and £50 on passing Final Examination.

HOLLOWAY SANATORIUM, VIRGINIA WATER, SURREY (403 female beds. 274 male beds). **Female** for four-year combined mental and general training with St. Mary's Hospital, Paddington. Also three year course in psychiatric nursing. Applications to Matron. **Male** for three year course in psychiatric nursing, also four year combined course for entry to General and Mental Register in conjunction with West Middlesex Hospital, Isleworth. Applications to Chief Male Nurse.

WEST PARK HOSPITAL, EPSOM, SURREY (1,285 female beds. 1,090 male beds). Training in psychiatric nursing for admission to the General Nursing Council's Register for Mental Nurses.

LONG GROVE HOSPITAL, EPSOM, SURREY (2,245 beds). Applications to Matron (women) or Chief Male Nurse (men).

BELMONT HOSPITAL, BRIGHTON ROAD, SUTTON, SURREY (500 beds). Special Neurosis Centre. Three females for psychiatric training. Must be not less than 18 years of age and should be of G.C.E. standard of education. Three years' training is supervised by the tutor and covers general surgical and dental training in operating theatres.

STUDENT NURSE—TUBERCULOSIS NURSING TRAINING

There are vacancies for male and female Student Nurses at the undermentioned hospital for training for the Certificate of the British Tuberculosis Association. The course is of two years' duration. Training allowance: first year, £265; second year, £275; less £119 for board and lodging.

KING GEORGE'S SANATORIUM FOR SAILORS, BRAMSHOTT PLACE, LIPHOOK, HANTS. (78 beds).

MILFORD CHEST HOSPITAL, GODALMING, SURREY (324 beds).

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NORTH EAST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

On behalf of the Hospital Management Committees, applications are invited for the following appointments, and should be together with details of age, qualifications, training, experience and the names of two referees (or copies of two recent testimoni TO THE MATRON OF THE APPROPRIATE HOSPITAL, unless otherwise stated, from whom further details may be obtained. Sala are in accordance with the appropriate National Scales.

GENERAL NURSING APPOINTMENTS

SISTER TUTORS

Chelmsford School of Nursing, situated at Thornwoods, London Road, Chelmsford. Res. or non-res. Block system of training. Good experience under Principal Tutor. Application forms and further details from **Matron, St. John's Hospital, Wood Street, Chelmsford, Essex.**

East Ham Memorial Hospital, Shrewsbury Road, London, E.7 (Acute—138 beds). Res. or non-res. To work with Principal Tutor. Applications with Matrons' names for reference.

King George Hospital, Ilford, Essex (211 beds). Res. or non-res. In charge of Preliminary Training School.

Mile End Hospital, Bancroft Road, London, E.1 (General—484 beds). Res. or non-res. One of three to work under Principal Tutor. Study day system of training. Unqualified candidates interested in taking Tutor's Certificate, will be considered.

North Middlesex Hospital, Silver St., Edmonton, London, N.18 (General—831 beds). Res. or non-res. **TWO** required to complete staff of five. Applications from unqualified candidates would be considered.

TUTOR (FEMALE)

Black Notley Hospital, Braintree, Essex (516 beds). Res. or non-res. Qualified. House with garage space available, if desired.

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTERS

Hackney Hospital, London, E.9 (General—841 beds). Res. or non-res. Post now vacant, offering good opportunity for gaining nursing administrative experience in a large General Hospital. **Applications to Group Secretary by 1st January.**

St. Michael's Hospital, Chase Side Crescent, Enfield, Middlesex (Chronic—310 beds). Res. or non-res.

The Queen Elizabeth Hospital for Children, Glamis Road, Shadwell, London, E.1 (50 beds). Res. S.R.N., R.S.C.N. with housekeeping experience. **Applications to Matron, Hackney Road, London, E.2.**

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENTS

Herts and Essex General Hospital, Bishop's Stortford, Herts. (400 beds). Res. or non-res. Ward Sister's experience. Five nights off duty in two weeks.

Mile End Hospital, Bancroft Road, London, E.1 (General—484 beds). Res. or non-res. Special consideration given to applicants interested in administration.

Oldchurch Hospital, Romford, Essex (General Training School — 722 beds). Res. Hospital is within easy access of East Coast.

NIGHT SISTERS IN SOLE CHARGE

St. Andrew's Hospital Annexe, Billericay, Essex (59 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N. **Apply to Matron Thurrock Hospital, Grays, Essex.**

St. Michael's Hospital, Rayne Road, Braintree, Essex (201 beds). Res.

The Queen Elizabeth Hospital for Children, Banstead, Surrey (70 beds). R.S.C.N., S.R.N. Res. or non-res. **Applications to Matron, Hackney Road, E.2.**

HOME SISTERS

St. John's Hospital, Wood Street, Chelmsford, Essex (409 beds). Res. or non-res. With administrative duties. S.R.N., S.C.M.

The Queen Elizabeth Hospital for Children, Hackney Road, London, E.2. Res. With administrative duties. R.S.C.N., S.R.N.

NIGHT SISTERS

Broomfield Hospital, Chelmsford (Modern Chest Hospital — 312 beds). Resident. To work under Night Superintendent. Tuberculous and non-Tuberculous Thoracic Surgery. Service allowance of £30 p.a. B.T.A. Certificate an advantage. Opportunity to take B.T.A. Certificate.

Brentwood District Hospital, Brentwood, Essex (Assistant Nurse Training School—50 beds). Non-res. Part-time.

South Lodge Hospital, World's End Lane, London, N.21 (243 beds). Res. or non-res.

St. Andrew's Hospital, Billericay, Essex (General Training School — 343 beds). Res. or non-res. Junior, S.R.N.

The Prince of Wales General Hospital, London, N.15 (300 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N., S.C.M. (Part I). Six month appointment. One of four.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

Bearsted Memorial Hospital, Lordship Road, Stoke Newington, London, N.16 (32 beds). Res. S.R.N., S.C.M.

Chase Farm Hospital, The Ridgeway, Enfield, Middlesex (General—409 beds, including 38 Maternity beds). Res. or non-res.

General Hospital, Rochford, Essex (622 beds). Res. or non-res. For Part I Training School of 75 beds and Premature Baby Unit.

Hackney Hospital, London, E.9 (General). Res. or non-res. **TWO** required.

Hertford County Hospital, Hertford, Herts. (173 beds). Res. or non-res. For night duty.

Herts and Essex General Hospital, Bishop's Stortford, Herts. (400 beds). Res. or non-res. Required for Maternity Unit of 32 beds.

Mile End Hospital, Bancroft Road, London, E.1 Res. or non-res. Maternity Dept.—69 beds.

Oldchurch Hospital, Romford, Essex (General—722 beds). Res. or non-res. For Part I Training School of 90 beds. Hospital is within easy reach of London and East Coast.

St. John's Hospital, Wood Street, Chelmsford, Essex (409 beds). Res. Junior Sister for Midwifery Unit—must have at least one year's midwifery experience.

Tilbury and Riverside General Hospital (Orestt Branch), Orsett, Essex (Approved Training School—227 beds). Res. or non-res. S.C.M.

DEPARTMENTAL THEATRE SISTER

Tilbury and Riverside General Hospital (Tilbury Branch), Tilbury, Essex (Training School for General Register — 74 Surgical beds). Res. or non-res.

THEATRE SISTERS

Bishop's Stortford and District Hospital, Rye Street, Bishop's Stortford, Herts. (67 beds). Res. or non-res. Senior position; also in charge of Out-patients' Department.

Black Notley Hospital, Braintree, Essex (Complete Training School—516 beds). Res. or non-res. For General and Orthopaedic Theatres.

Broomfield Hospital, Chelmsford, Essex (Modern Chest Hospital—312 beds). Res. Required for modern thoracic theatre. Service allowance of £30 p.a. B.T.A. Certificate an advantage.

Connaught Hospital, Walthamstow, London, E.17 (General—118 beds). Res. or non-res.

THEATRE SISTERS—Contd.

Essex County Hospital, Colchester, Essex (General—185 beds, with 154 beds at Myland Hospital). Res. or non-res. Junior of four. Suitable post for Staff Nurse wishing to have first Theatre Sister's post. New theatre unit. Triple theatre.

Forest Hospital, Buckhurst Hill, Essex (Assistant Nurse Training School—44 beds). Res.

Mile End Hospital, Bancroft Road, London, E.1 (General—484 beds). Res. or non-res.

Oldchurch Hospital, Romford, Essex (General Training School — 722 beds). Res. Hospital is within easy access of East Coast, London and Country.

Poplar Hospital, East India Dock Rd., London, E.14 (General—120 beds). Res.

St. Andrew's Hospital, Billericay, Essex (General Training School — 343 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N.

The Prince of Wales General Hospital, London, N.15 (300 beds). Res. or non-res. (One of three). S.R.N., S.C.M. (Part I) excellent experience in all types of general surgery.

Tilbury and Riverside General Hospital (Tilbury Branch), Tilbury, Essex (Training School for General Register — 74 Surgical beds). Res. or non-res.

Victoria Hospital, Romford, Essex (General—99 beds). Res. For very busy Operating Theatre.

DEPARTMENTAL SISTER

Chase Farm Hospital, The Ridgeway, Enfield, Middlesex (General—409 beds). Res. or non-res. For Casualty and Out-patient Dept.

OUT-PATIENT DEPARTMENT SISTER

The Queen Elizabeth Hospital for Children, Hackney Road, London, E.2 (157 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N., R.S.C.N.

WARD SISTERS

Chingford Hospital, Larkshall Road, E.4 (Assistant Nurse Training School—106 beds). Res. or non-res.

Connaught Hospital, Walthamstow, London, E.17 (General—118 beds). Res. or non-res. **TWO** required. One for Male Surgical Ward and one for Male and Female Surgical Ward.

East Herts Hospital, Gallows Hill, Hertford (76 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N. and preferably R.F.N. Required for Cubicle Ward.

Eastern Hospital, Homerton Grove, London, E.9 (246 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N., R.F.N. Also S.R.N. only, for Geriatric Wards.

Enfield War Memorial Hospital, Chase Side, Enfield, Middlesex (General Practitioner—61 beds). Res. or non-res. For X-ray Dept. M.S.R. essential. **Applications to Group Secretary, Enfield Group H.M.C., Chase Farm Hospital, The Ridgeway, Enfield, Middlesex.**

Hackney Hospital, London, E.9 (General—841 beds). Res. or non-res. For Geriatric Wards.

Harold Wood Hospital, Gubbins Lane, Harold Wood, Essex (General Training School—415 beds). Res. or non-res. For Operating Theatre, Wards and Special Departments. Also **ONE**, with knowledge of Special Diets.

London Jewish Hospital, Stepney Green, London, E.1 (General—130 beds). Res. or non-res. For relief duties.

Oldchurch Hospital, Romford, Essex (General Training School — 722 beds). Ward Unit of 26 beds. Res. Hospital is within easy access of East Coast, London and Country.

Poplar Hospital, East India Dock Rd., London, E.14 (General—120 beds). Res. or non-res.

WARD SISTERS—Contd.

Rush Green Hospital, Romford, (General—301 beds). Res. or **ONE** for Poliomyelitis Unit under Departmental Sister. Training School. Modern Nurses' Pleasant surroundings. Hospital is easy reach of London. If non-res. don Weighting also payable.

St. Andrew's Hospital, Billericay, Essex (General Training School beds). Res. or non-res. **ONE** for Chronic Ward, S.R.N. Also **ONE,** for Children's Ward.

St. Clement's Hospital, 2a Bow London, E.3 (General—94 beds). or non-res. S.R.N.

St. Faith's Hospital, London, Brentwood, Essex (Sane Epileptic 437 beds; and General Medical 29 beds). Res. or non-res. For night duty.

St. Michael's Hospital, Chase Crescent, Enfield, Middlesex (Chro 310 beds). Res. or non-res. For tric Ward.

The Metropolitan Hospital, Kingsland Road, London, E.8 (147 beds). or non-res. **ONE** required for Surgical Ward.

The Queen Elizabeth Hospital for Children, Hackney Road, London, (157 beds). Res. or non-res. R.S.C.N.

Tilbury and Riverside General Hospital (Orsett Branch), Orsett, Essex beds). Approved Training School. or non-res. S.R.N. Junior. For Ward.

RELIEF WARD SISTER

Rush Green Hospital, Romford, (General—301 beds). Res. or General Training School. Modern Home. Pleasant surroundings. is within easy reach of London non-res London Weighting also

CHARGE NURSE (MALE)

St. Andrew's Hospital, Billericay, Essex (General Training School beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N. Theatre.

STAFF MIDWIVES

Barking Hospital, Upney Lane, Essex (78 beds). Res. or non-res quired urgently.

Brentwood Maternity Home, wood, Essex (14 beds). Res. or

Chase Farm Hospital, The Ridge Enfield, Middlesex (General—409 including 38 Maternity beds). non-res. S.R.N., S.C.M.

German Hospital, Dalston, London (General—157: beds). Res. or non

Herts and Essex General Hospital, Bishop's Stortford, Herts. (400 Res. or non-res. Required for Ma Unit of 32 beds.

Mile End Hospital, Bancroft Road, London, E.1 (General—484 beds). or non-res. (Maternity Dept.—69

North Middlesex Hospital, Silver Edmonton, London, N.18 (Maternity —101 beds). Res. or non-res. **Tower Maternity Annexe, The Avenue, N.2** (23 beds).

Oldchurch Hospital, Romford, (General—722 beds). Res. or For Part I Training School of Hospital is within easy reach of and East Coast.

Rush Green Hospital, Romford, (General—301 beds). Res. or General Training School. Modern Home. Pleasant surroundings. is within easy reach of London non-res. London Weighting also

St. John's Hospital, Wood Chelmsford, Essex (409 beds). non-res. Part I Training School

NORTH EAST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—Continued

STUDENT NURSE TRAINING

Training normally lasts **3 years for Student Nurses and 2 years for Pupil Assistant Nurses** and an allowance of between £260-£285 a year is payable during training less £119 for board, lodging and uniform if resident. Mental Nurse Training Allowance: age 18 £305, 19 £315, 20 £330, less £119 for board, lodging and uniform if resident—Age 21 or over on entry 1st year £390, 2nd year £405, 3rd year £420, less £144 for board, lodging and uniform if resident. Four weeks paid leave per annum. For full details please apply to the **Matron of the hospital concerned.**

HAROLD WOOD HOSPITAL, HAROLD WOOD, ESSEX (General Training School—415 beds). Vacancies exist for Student Nurses, **MALE**, non-res., **FEMALE**, res. or non-res., of good educational standard, for combined training of the General Nursing Council, with reduction for Nurses on the Supplementary Register.

GERMAN HOSPITAL, DALSTON, LONDON, E.8. Vacancies for Student Nurses; excellent conditions and amenities. Candidates on Supplementary Register accepted for reduced period. Full block system of education in operation.

NORTH MIDDLESEX HOSPITAL SCHOOL OF NURSING AND MIDWIFERY, EDMONTON, LONDON, N.18 (831 beds). Vacancies for well-educated girls 18 years of age and over. Also men—non-resident only. Training period includes first 12 weeks in Preliminary Training School. Block system in force. Candidates on Supplementary Register accepted for two years' training. This is a busy general hospital offering all-round experience with a pleasant, modern nurses' home and good recreational facilities. Vacancies 7th January and 6th May, 1957.

MILE END SCHOOL OF NURSING AND MIDWIFERY, MILE END HOSPITAL, LONDON, E.1 (484 beds). Vacancies for well-educated girls over 18 years of age (also men, non-resident only). Training period includes first 12 weeks in Preliminary Training School. Study day system in force. Candidates on Supplementary Register accepted for two years' training; short study block on entry. This is a busy general hospital, offering all-round experience, with a pleasant, modern nurses' home. Vacancies 7th January, 1st April, 1957.

HERTFORD COUNTY HOSPITAL, HERTFORD, HERTS. Complete Training School for Nurses. There are vacancies for April and September, 1957. A study scheme is in operation. All students have their own room. Off duty 1½ days per week in addition to daily off duty. Complete details can be supplied on application.

BISHOP'S STORTFORD HOSPITALS SCHOOL OF NURSING, HERTS. AND ESSEX GENERAL HOSPITAL (400 beds). There are vacancies in the Training School for **MALE** and **FEMALE** Student Nurses—three years' course, including twelve weeks in Preliminary Training School. Nurses on Supplementary part of Register accepted for two years. Modern accommodation with single bedrooms. Study day and block system of teaching. The hospital is situated in pleasant surroundings—good travelling facilities to either London or Cambridge. Training grant and conditions in accordance with Whitley Council recommendations. **Apply Matron, Herts. and Essex General Hospital, Bishop's Stortford, Herts.**

CHELMSFORD SCHOOL OF NURSING, ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, CHELMSFORD, ESSEX (409 beds). **FEMALE.** Resident or non-resident. Schools commence January, March, July and October. Shortened course of training for students holding Supplementary Certificate.

BROOMFIELD HOSPITAL, CHELMSFORD, ESSEX. FEMALE (between 18 and 30 years of age) are required at this chest hospital, which is an affiliated General Training School of 312 beds, and a Training School for the British Tuberculosis Certificate. Service allowance of £60 on completion of two years. Modern accommodation in pleasant surroundings is available. Good amenities, including free hospital transport.

CHELMSFORD SCHOOL OF NURSING, CHELMSFORD AND ESSEX HOSPITAL, LONDON ROAD, CHELMSFORD, ESSEX (General—162 beds). **FEMALE.** Resident or non-resident. Vacancies for January, March, July and October Schools. Good standard of education required. Candidates on Supplementary Register accepted for two years' training.

WANSTEAD HOSPITAL, HERMON HILL, LONDON, E.11 (General—191 beds). Applications are invited from well-educated girls to become Student Nurses for general training. Vacancies for Preliminary Training School commencing 29th April, 1957. Nurses on the Supplementary Register are accepted for a shortened period of training. Resident or non-resident.

LONDON JEWISH HOSPITAL, STEPNEY GREEN, LONDON, E.1 (General—190 beds). Immediate vacancies for well-educated girls over 18 years of age as Student Nurses.

CONNAUGHT HOSPITAL, WALTHAMSTOW, LONDON, E.17 (General—118 beds). Applications are invited from well-educated girls to become Student Nurses for general training. Nurses on the Supplementary Register are accepted for a shortened period of training. Resident.

POPLAR HOSPITAL, EAST INDIA DOCK ROAD, LONDON, E.14 (General—200 beds). There are vacancies for young ladies of good education, to train as Student Nurses at a hospital in an interesting part of London. Resident.

PLAISTOW HOSPITAL, SAMSON STREET, LONDON, E.13 (185 beds). **FEMALE.** Resident or non-resident. For general training in Combined Training School.

HACKNEY HOSPITAL, HOMERTON, LONDON, E.9 (841 beds). **MALE** and **FEMALE. Res. or non-res. General Training School** (Preliminary and Senior). Modern and well-equipped classrooms and nurses' home. Full block system. Registered Mental, Fever and Children's trained Nurses accepted for shortened course.

EASTERN HOSPITAL, HOMERTON GROVE, LONDON, E.9 (Fevers—246 beds). Resident or non-resident. **FEMALE** for two years' fever training.

CHASE FARM HOSPITAL, THE RIDGEWAY, ENFIELD, MIDDLESEX (School of General Nursing and Part I Midwifery Training—409 beds). Suitable candidates of 18 years of age and over (including a limited number of young men) with a keen desire to nurse and a good basic education, are accepted for training at three monthly intervals in January, April, July and October each year; **also** Post-graduate Nurses on Supplementary Register and State Enrolled Assistant Nurses accepted for shortened training. **FEMALE** Nurses, resident or non-resident. **MALE** Nurses, non-resident only. This is a busy general hospital, beautifully situated, pleasant airy classrooms, good shopping and recreational facilities, and within easy reach of London.

THE METROPOLITAN HOSPITAL, KINGSLAND ROAD, LONDON, E.8. FEMALE Student Nurses required for a period of three years training in general nursing. Preliminary Training Schools commence in January, 1957. Candidates should be 18 years or over with a good basic education. Fares will be refunded to applicants called for interview. Apply immediately to Matron.

HIGH WOOD HOSPITAL FOR CHILDREN, BRENTWOOD, ESSEX (T.B. Children—254 beds). Res. or non-res. Women over 18 trained for B.T.A. Certificate. Two years' training in affiliation with a Thoracic Unit. Salary 1st year £265, 2nd year £275, with bonus £60 on completion of training. **Training School affiliated with a general hospital for combined training which will be arranged if candidates so state.** Salary 3rd year, £350—£90 more than usual Student Nurses owing to obtaining B.T.A. Certificate during first and second years. Fourth year £360. Block system of training. Thirty-two weeks wholly in classrooms plus incidental lectures during training.

ST. ANDREW'S HOSPITAL, BILLERICAY, ESSEX (General Training School—343 beds). **FEMALE.** Resident or non-resident.

BLACK NOTLEY HOSPITAL, BRAINTREE, ESSEX (General and Orthopaedic Training School for Nurses—516 beds). **FEMALE. Resident.** Situated in beautiful surroundings, Black Notley Hospital is within reach of London by train, with hospital transport for special trips to shows, etc. The hospital has a modern nurses' home, tennis courts and other recreational facilities. Experience in all branches of nursing. Block system of training; 48-hour week in operation. Girls aged 18 years and over accepted for two years training in orthopaedic nursing. **Vacancies exist for State Registered Nurses wishing to gain further experience and the British Tuberculosis Certificate. Course one year.**

MENTAL NURSE TRAINING

CLAYBURY HOSPITAL (FOR NERVOUS AND MENTAL DISORDERS), WOODFORD BRIDGE, WOODFORD GREEN, ESSEX. The hospital is situated in beautiful grounds, two minutes from the bus route and 45 minutes from London's West End. Excellent training facilities include a 10 week Preliminary Training School, followed by study days, when the Student is not required to spend any time in the wards. All modern treatments practised. Prospects good for trained staff. Domestic staff are employed in wards. Hours: 96 a fortnight on a.m. and p.m. shift system. Four weeks' annual leave. Inter-hospital Christian Fellowship and Catholic Guild Branches. Excellent social and sporting amenities available. No petty restrictions. Fare refunded on taking up duty. Resident or non-resident. Student Nurses, **MALE** and **FEMALE**, from the age of 18, to enter for General Nursing Council Examination for Mental Nurses. Proficiency allowances paid—£40 on passing Preliminary Examination, £50 on passing Final Examination. Special arrangements and scale of pay for nurses who have completed General, Fever or Children's training. Training allowances for female posts are paid monthly, male posts paid weekly. Applications should be made to the Matron (female applicants) or Chief Male Nurse (male applicants) at the hospital.

PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES

BISHOP'S STORTFORD AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, RYE STREET, BISHOP'S STORTFORD, HERTS. (Training School for Assistant Nurses). There are vacancies for **PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES** in the Preliminary Training School for two years' training in all departments of the hospital. Next school commences on 21st January, 1957. Young ladies of over 18 years of age, desirous of becoming State Enrolled Assistant Nurses should write for information to the Matron.

ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL, 14 POPE'S LANE, COLCHESTER, ESSEX (Assistant Nurse Training School—143 beds, partly Chronic Sick, but including wards completely modernised for acute cases). **FEMALE,** 18 years of age or over. Resident or non-resident. 48-hours of duty per week. Two years training period. The hospital offers excellent practical experience in general, geriatric, theatre and out-patient nursing, together with good recreational facilities, and is within easy reach of London and the coast.

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, CHELMSFORD, ESSEX (409 beds). **FEMALE.** Resident or non-resident.

ST. PETER'S HOSPITAL, MALDON, ESSEX (256 beds). **FEMALE,** 18-45 years. Resident or non-resident. The Training School is a separate block with modern equipment. Illustrated brochure available on request.

HACKNEY HOSPITAL, HOMERTON, LONDON, E.9 (841 beds). **MALE** and **FEMALE.** Res. or non-res. Modern, well-equipped classrooms and nurses' home.

ST. GEORGE'S HOSPITAL, HORNCHURCH, ESSEX (424 beds). **MALE** (non-resident) and **FEMALE** (resident or non-resident). Illustrated brochure and further details from Matron.

CHINGFORD HOSPITAL, LARKSHALL ROAD, LONDON, E.4 (Assistant Nurse Training School—106 beds). **FEMALE,** resident or non-resident; **MALE,** non-resident, aged 18 years and over, for two year course, mainly practical work. School commencing February, 1957. Further particulars from Matron.

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NORTH EAST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—Continued

GENERAL NURSING APPOINTMENTS—(Contd.)

STAFF MIDWIVES—Contd.

St. Margaret's Hospital, Epping, Essex (General Training School for Nurses—485 beds). Res. or non-res. **TWO** required. Excellent experience. Good conditions in hospital within easy reach of London and in country surroundings.

St. Peter's Hospital, Maldon, Essex (256 beds). Res. or non-res.

Tilbury and Riverside General Hospital (Orsett Branch), Orsett, Essex (Approved Training School — 227 beds). Res. or non-res. S.C.M.

Wanstead Hospital, Hermon Hill, London, E.11 (General—191 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N. and S.C.M. or S.C.M.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

Chase Farm Hospital, The Ridgeway, Enfield, Middlesex (General—409 beds, Maternity — 38 beds). Res. S.R.N. Vacancies on courses commencing 1st February, 1st May and 1st August, 1957.

East End Maternity Hospital, 384-398 Commercial Road, London, E.1 (Part I and Analgesia Training School — 60 beds). Res. or non-res. Vacancies occur for Pupils on 1st February and 1st May, 1957, for S.R.N. and R.S.C.N. Occasional vacancies for untrained candidates.

General Hospital, Rochford, Essex (622 beds). Res. Part I Training School of 75 beds with Premature Baby Unit attached. Vacancies May and August, 1957. Eight-hour duty rota in force.

Hackney Hospital, Homerton, London, E.9 (841 beds: Maternity Department—109 beds). Res. Part I Courses commence February, May, August and November. Modern Maternity Block and Nurses' Home.

Mile End Hospital, Bancroft Road, London, E.1 (Part I Midwifery Training School—Maternity Unit of 69 beds). Res. or non-res. Vacancies in May, August and November, 1957. Modified study day. Obstetric and Paediatric lectures given by specialists. Gas and Air Analgesia course arranged. Modified study day system.

North Middlesex Hospital, Silver St., Edmonton, London, N.18 (Maternity Unit —101 beds). Res. or non-res. Vacancies for the January, April, July and October, 1957 schools. S.R.N.s accepted for Part I C.M.B. Examination. Training for Certificate in Gas and Air Analgesia is also given.

Oldchurch Hospital, Romford, Essex (Maternity—90 beds). Res. or non-res. Part I Training School. Next class in April, 1957. Experience in Premature Baby Unit. No night duty. Study day.

St. John's Hospital, Chelmsford, Essex (77 beds). Res. or non-res. Part I Midwifery Training. Courses commence 1st February, May, August and November. Premature Baby Certificate, six months course for S.R.N. or S.C.M. commences as above.

The Bearsted Memorial Hospital (Jewish Maternity Hospital), The Green, Hampton Court, Middlesex (Midwifery Training School). Pupil Midwives prepared for Part I Examination of the Central Midwives' Board at this hospital, in pleasant surroundings, within easy reach of the West End. Obstetric and Paediatric lectures by Specialists. Resident Midwife Teacher. Vacancies occur in February, May, August and November.

The Mother's Hospital (Salvation Army), Clapton, London, E.5 (Maternity and District Midwifery Service — 110 beds). Res. Pupils prepared for examination of the Central Midwives' Board. Part I and II. Entry dates: February, May, August and November each year.

Thorpe Coombe Maternity Hospital, Walthamstow, London, E.17 (54 beds). Resident. Part I S.R.N. Vacancies May, August and November, 1957.

THEATRE STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Black Notley Hospital, Braintree, Essex (Complete Training School—516 beds). Res. or non-res.

Brentwood District Hospital, Brentwood, Essex (Assistant Nurse Training School—50 beds). Res. or non-res.

THEATRE STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)—Contd.

Broomfield Hospital, Chelmsford, Essex (Chest Hospital—312 beds). Res. For modern Thoracic Theatre with B.T.A. Certificate or opportunity to train for same. Service allowance £30 p.a.

Chase Farm Hospital, The Ridgeway, Enfield, Middlesex (General—409 beds). Res. or non-res.

Mile End Hospital, Bancroft Road, London, E.1 (General—484 beds). Res. or non-res. Previous experience not essential.

Oldchurch Hospital, Romford, Essex (General Training School — 722 beds). Res. Hospital is within easy access of East Coast, London and Country.

Rush Green Hospital, Romford, Essex (General—301 beds). Res. or non-res. General Training School. Modern Nurses' Home. Pleasant surroundings. Hospital is within easy reach of London. If non-res. London Weighting Allowance also payable.

St. Andrew's Hospital, Billericay, Essex (General Training School — 343 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Bishop's Stortford and District Hospital, Rye Street, Bishop's Stortford (67 beds). Res. or non-res. One required for Private Ward. Two required for Men's and Children's Landing. Also one S.R.N. for Theatre and Out-patient Department.

Black Notley Hospital, Braintree, Essex (Complete Training School—516 beds). Res. or non-res. For General Wards. Thoracic Surgery and Pulmonary Wards.

Broomfield Hospital, Chelmsford, Essex (Modern Chest Hospital—312 beds). Res. or non-res. Also with B.T.A. Certificate. Service allowance £30 p.a.

Chase Farm Hospital, The Ridgeway, Enfield, Middlesex (General—409 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N. For General Ward.

Clacton and District Hospital, Freeland Road, Clacton-on-Sea, Essex (Acute General—58 beds). Res. or non-res. Hospital near the sea.

Chingford Hospital, Larkshall Road, E.4 (Assistant Nurse Training School —106 beds). Res. or non-res.

Eastern Hospital, Homerton Grove, London, E.9 (246 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N. or R.F.N. for Fevers or T.A. Certificate for T.B. Wards. Also S.R.N. only for Geriatric Wards.

Enfield War Memorial Hospital, Chase Side, Enfield, Middlesex (General Practitioner—61 beds). Res. or non-res. For theatre and ward duties. Also **ONE** for night duty.

Forest Hospital, Buckhurst Hill, Essex (Assistant Nurse Training School — 44 beds). Res. or non-res. **ONE** for Theatre and Casualty.

General Hospital, Rochford, Essex (622 beds). Res. or non-res. For Female Geriatric Ward. A person interested in this type of nursing of any age, would be considered.

German Hospital, Dalston, London, E.8 (General — 157 beds). Res. or non-res. Casualty and O.P.D., Operating Theatre, General Wards.

Hackney Hospital, London, E.9 (General—841 beds). Res. or non-res. For Geriatric Wards

Harold Wood Hospital, Gubbins Lane, Harold Wood, Essex (General Training School—415 beds). Res. or non-res. **TWO** for night duty in busy Casualty Department.

Herts and Essex General Hospital, Bishop's Stortford, Herts. (400 beds). Res. or non-res. Required for duties on General Wards.

London Jewish Hospital, Stepney Green, London, E.1 (General—130 beds). Res. or non-res.

Mile End Hospital, Bancroft Road, London, E.1 (General—484 beds). Res. or non-res. For acute, medical ward, gynaecological ward, female T.B. ward (20 beds). and O.P.D

Myland Hospital, Mill Road, Colchester, Essex (164 beds mainly General). Res. or non-res. For self-contained Ophthalmic Block. Post offers good theatre experience.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)—Contd.

North Middlesex Hospital, Silver St., Edmonton, London, N.18 (General—831 beds). Res. or non-res. For General, Departments and Special Wards.

Oldchurch Hospital, Romford, Essex (General Training School — 722 beds). Res. Block system. Hospital is within easy access of East Coast, London and Country.

Plaistow Hospital, Samson Street, London, E.13 (185 beds). Res. or non-res. For Medical, Fever and Chest Wards.

Poplar Hospital, East India Dock Rd., London, E.14 (General—120 beds). Res. or non-res. **ONE** for Casualty Department. **TWO** for Theatres. Res.

Rush Green Hospital, Romford, Essex (General — 301 beds). Res. or non-res. For General duties. General Training School; Modern Nurses' Home; pleasant surroundings; hospital within easy reach of London. If non-res. London Weighting Allowance also payable.

St. Andrew's Hospital, Billericay, Essex (General Training School — 343 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N.

St. Andrew's Hospital Annexe, Billericay, Essex (59 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N. **Apply to Matron, Thurrock Hospital, Gray's, Essex.**

St. Clement's Hospital, 2a Bow Road, London, E.3 (General—94 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N.

St. Faith's Hospital, London Road, Brentwood, Essex (Sane Epileptics—437 beds, and General Medical Unit — 29 beds). Res. or non-res. Full or part-time.

St. George's Hospital, Hornchurch, Essex (Chronic Sick—424 beds). Res. or non-res. Additional staff required for opening of further beds.

St. Mary's Hospital, 14 Pope's Lane, Colchester, Essex (Assistant Nurse Training School—143 beds). Res. or non-res. Required for Female Geriatric Receiving Ward.

St. Michael's Hospital, Chase Side Crescent, Enfield, Middlesex (Chronic — 310 beds). Res. or non-res.

The Metropolitan Hospital, Kingsland Road, London, E.8 (147 beds). Res. or non-res. For Medical and Surgical Wards.

The Prince of Wales General Hospital, London, N.15 (300 beds). Res. or non-res. **TWO**, S.R.N. interested in sick children, or R.S.C.N. for Children's Medical Unit (52 cots).

Thurrock Hospital, Grays, Essex (T.B. and I.D.—90 beds). Res. S.R.N. or R.F.N. or with B.T.A. Certificate.

Tilbury and Riverside General Hospital (Orsett Branch), Orsett, Essex (227 beds). Training School for General Register. Res. or non-res. S.R.N.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

St. Andrew's Hospital, Billericay, Essex (General Training School — 343 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N.

St. George's Hospital, Hornchurch, Essex (Chronic Sick—424 beds). Non-res. Additional staff required for opening of further beds.

Tilbury and Riverside General Hospital (Orsett Branch), Orsett, Essex (227 beds). Training School for General Register. Res. or non-res. S.R.N.

POST-GRADUATE TRAINING

Broomfield Hospital, Chelmsford, Essex (Modern Chest Hospital—312 beds). Res. or non-res. **MALE** and **FEMALE** Staff Nurses. Post-graduate course for B.T.A. Certificate, one year. Examinations; May and November. Service allowance of £30 p.a.

Eastern Hospital, Homerton Grove, London, E.9 (Fevers — 246 beds). **FEMALE.** Res. or non-res. Staff Nurses (Post-registration). S.R.N. (One year Post-graduate Course).

North Middlesex Hospital, Silver St., Edmonton, London, N.18 (General—831 beds). Applications invited from State Registered Nurses wishing to obtain **Theatre** experience. Six months' course 1st August, 1957. Certificate given on completion of course.

Plaistow Hospital, Samson Street, London, E.13 (185 beds). Res. or non-res. **FEMALE**, S.R.N., for one year's Fever Training.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

Black Notley Hospital, Braintree, (Complete Training School—516 Res. or non-res. For Sanatorium

Brentwood District Hospital, wood, Essex (Assistant Nurse Tr School—50 beds). Res. or non-

Chelmsford and Essex Hospital, don Road, Chelmsford, Essex (10 Non-res. For Recovery Wards.

Chingford Hospital, Larkshall E.4 (Assistant Nurse Training 106 beds). Res. or non-res.

Eastern Hospital, Homerton London, E.9 (246 beds). Res. res. Full-time or part-time. Geriatric Wards.

Enfield War Memorial Hospital, Side, Enfield, Middlesex (General titioner—61 beds). Res. or non-

German Hospital, Dalston, Lond (General—157 beds). Res. or non-

Hackney Hospital, London, E. beds). Res. or non-res. For Wards and Maternity Unit.

Harold Court Hospital, Harold Road, Harold Wood, Essex (T.B. —62 beds). Res. or non-res. part-time.

Harold Wood Hospital, Gubbins Harold Wood, Essex (General School—415 beds). Res. or Required in all wards.

Herts and Essex General Bishop's Stortford, Herts. (400 Res. or non-res. Required for General Wards.

High Wood Hospital for Brentwood, Essex (Tuberculosis beds). Res. or non-res. Opport take T.A. Cert.

Honey Lane Hospital, Waltham Essex (Assistant Nurse Training —120 beds). Res. or non-res. eral and Tuberculosis Wards. experience. Tuberculosis Allow £30 p.a. payable and London if non-res. Pleasant hospital in surroundings near London.

Plaistow Hospital, Samson London, E.13 (185 beds). Res. res. For Fever and Chest Wards time.

Poplar Hospital, East India Do London, E.14 (General—120 beds res.

St. Andrew's Hospital Billericay, Essex (59 beds). non-res. **Apply to Matron, Hospital, Grays, Essex.**

St. Andrew's Hospital, Essex (General Training School beds). Res. or non-res.

St. Clement's Hospital, 2a Bo London, E.3 (General—94 beds or non-res.

St. Faith's Hospital, London Brentwood, Essex (Sane Epilept beds, and General Medical Unit beds). Res. or non-res. Full time.

St. John's Hospital, Wood Chelmsford, Essex (409 beds). non-res. Also for Midwifery Unit dent.

St. Margaret's Hospital, Epping (General Training School for 485 beds). Res. or non-res. For and Tuberculosis Wards. Allowance of £30 p.a. payable conditions. Hospital in country ings near London.

St. Michael's Hospital, Ch Crescent, Enfield, Middlesex (C 310 beds). Res. or non-res.

St. Peter's Hospital, Maldon (256 beds). Res. or non-res. Chronic Sick Wards.

Thurrock Hospital, Grays, Es and I.D.—90 beds). Res. or

Tilbury and Riverside General (Orsett Branch), Orsett, Es beds). Training School for Register. Res. or non-res.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE)

Eastern Hospital, Homerton London, E.9 (246 beds). Res. res. Experienced, for T.B. Geriatric Wards.

NORTH EAST METROPOLITAN EGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—Continued.

GENERAL NURSING APPOINTMENTS

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NROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE)—Contd.

. Andrew's Hospital, Billericay, (General Training School — 343 . Res. or non-res.

. Clement's Hospital, 2a Bow Road, on, E.3 (General—94 beds). Non-res.

ilbury and Riverside General Hospital ett Branch), Orsett, Essex (Approved ing School—227 beds). Res. or res.

NURSING AUXILIARIES (MALE)

orth Middlesex Hospital, Silver St., onton, London, N.18 (General—831 . Non-res. For Psychiatric Unit. Acute and Chronic Wards.

NURSING AUXILIARIES (FEMALE)

Eastern Hospital, Homerton Grove, London, E.9 (246 beds). Res. or non-res. Experienced, for Geriatric Wards.

North Middlesex Hospital, Silver St., Edmonton, London, N.18 (General—831 beds). Non-res. For Psychiatric Unit, also Acute and Chronic Wards. Also at **Tower Maternity Annexe, The Bishop's Avenue, N.2** (23 beds). And at **Southgate Annexe, Tottenhall Road, Palmers Green** (Female Chronic—73 beds). Full or part-time. Required for day and night duty.

Poplar Hospital, East India Dock Rd., London, E.14 (General—120 beds). Non-res.

St. Clement's Hospital, 2a Bow Road, London, E.3 (General—94 beds). Res. or non-res.

MENTAL NURSING APPOINTMENTS

WARD SISTER

. Clement's Hospital, 2a Bow Road, on, E.3 (Mental Observation Unit beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N., N.

AFF NURSES (FEMALE)

. Clement's Hospital, 2a Bow Road, on, E.3 (Psychiatric Unit—36 beds). or non-res. R.M.P.A.

NURSING ASSISTANT (MALE)

. Clement's Hospital, 2a Bow Road, on, E.3 (Observation Unit — 12 . Non-res.

NURSING ASSISTANTS (FEMALE)

Claybury Hospital (For Nervous and Mental Disorders), Woodford Bridge, Woodford Green, Essex (1,300 beds). Res. or non-res.

St. Clement's Hospital, 2a Bow Road, E.3 (Psychiatric Unit—36 beds). Res. or non-res. Also for Mental Observation Unit (12 beds). Res. or non-res.

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SOUTHAMPTON C.B.C. invites applications for the appointment of **STANT MATRON** for small home for aged persons. Salary £278 x £10 to per annum, plus full residential emoluments valued at £149 per annum. ing qualifications and/or experience necessary. The appointments are subject he Local Government Superannuation Act, 1937, as amended. The successful idate will be required to pass a medical examination. Forms of application from Chief Welfare Services Officer, Civic Centre, hampton, to be returned to the Medical Officer of Health by 28th January, 1957. (3394)

ILL (B) GROUP HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Deputy Chief Male Nurse required at The Colony, Winestead, Nr. Patrington beds, male, all grades). Salary £605 x £20 (5) to £705. The Colony sists of four modern villas, in extensive grounds, with excellent potentialities evelopment. Appropriate qualifications and experience in M.D. nursing and ing administration essential. Pleasantly situated modern house available nt. Grammar school nearby with free transport. Application forms from Group Secretary, De la Pole Hospital, Willerby, orkshire. (3395)

NIGHTINGALE MATERNITY HOME, DERBY

ssistant Matron required to act as deputy to Matron at the above Part II wifery Training School which has 31 beds for normal midwifery and an d Premature Baby Unit. Immediate vacancy owing to illness. Salary x £20 (6) x £10 (1)—£710. Canvassing will disqualify. pply stating full details and two names for reference, to Group Secretary, Hospital Management Committee, Babington Lane, Derby. (3403)

DERBYSHIRE HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN, DERBY

ssistant Matron (deputy to Matron) required at the above hospital which recently been extended to accommodate 72 gynaecological patients. The al also has a recently remodelled gynaecological out-patient department. keeping experience an advantage. Salary £590 x £20—£690. Canvassing isqualify. pply stating full details and two names for reference, to Group Secretary, Hospital Management Committee, Babington Lane, Derby. (3404)

ANWOOD PARK HOSPITAL, TONGUE LANE, LEEDS, 6

acancy for **Deputy Matron** at the above mental deficiency hospital to nce duty in March, 1957. Candidates should be S.R.N. and hold mental ncy qualification and have had wide experience. Whitley Council conditions alary on scale £680-£780 p.a., with deduction of £191 p.a. if resident. ssing will disqualify. pplication forms may be obtained from Matron at the hospital and these be returned, completed, by 12th January, 1957. (3405)

NEWCASTLE REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

On behalf of the Management Committees applications are invited for the following appointments, and should be sent, together with details of age, qualifications, training, experience, and the names of two referees (or copies of two recent testimonials), to the Matron of the appropriate hospital (except where otherwise stated), from whom further details may be obtained. Salaries and conditions are in accordance with the appropriate National Agreements.

NIGHT SISTERS

MAIDEN LAW HOSPITAL, Lanchester, Co. Durham (108 beds). Hospital caters for E.N.T. and T.B. patients. Resident or non-resident. In sole charge.

SISTERS

GENERAL HOSPITAL, Chester-le-Street (204 beds). Ward Sister, S.R.N., for Geriatric Ward; also Ward Sisters, S.R.N., for busy Acute Surgical Ward.

THE CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL, Durham Road, Sunderland (83 beds). Junior Ward Sister, R.S.C.N. preferred. Resident or non-resident.

THE EYE INFIRMARY, Alexandra Road, Sunderland (60 beds). For Out-patient Department. Ophthalmic trained. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

COUNTY HOSPITAL, Durham (116 beds). S.R.N. Facilities are available for trained nurses to study for the Orthopaedic Certificate. Resident or non-resident.

GENERAL HOSPITAL, Chester-le-Street (204 beds). For busy Acute Medical Ward; also one for busy Acute Surgical Ward; and for busy Out-patient Department. Non-resident.

HUNTER'S MOOR HOSPITAL, Hunter's Road, Newcastle upon Tyne, 2 (Chronic Sick—110 beds). S.R.N. required for night duty on wards for special chronic sick. Resident or non-resident.

LEEHOLME HOSPITAL, Easington, Co. Durham (201 beds). Resident or non-resident.

THE EYE INFIRMARY, Alexandra Road, Sunderland (60 beds). One years training given for Ophthalmic Diploma. Resident or non-resident.

THE ORTHOPAEDIC AND ACCIDENT HOSPITAL, Newcastle Road, Sunderland (120 beds). Resident or non-resident.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

THE EYE INFIRMARY, Alexandra Road, Sunderland (60 beds). One years training given for Ophthalmic Diploma. Resident or non-resident.

THE ORTHOPAEDIC AND ACCIDENT HOSPITAL, Newcastle Road, Sunderland (120 beds). Resident or non-resident.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

COUNTY HOSPITAL, Durham (116 beds). S.E.A.N. Female. Resident or non-resident.

DRYBURN HOSPITAL, Durham (303 beds). S.E.A.N. Female. Resident or non-resident.

GENERAL HOSPITAL, Chester-le-Street (204 beds). For busy Out-patient Department. S.E.A.N. Female. Non-resident.

HUNTER'S MOOR HOSPITAL, Hunter's Road, Newcastle upon Tyne, 2 (Chronic Sick—110 beds). Required for duties with special chronic sick. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF MIDWIVES

DRYBURN HOSPITAL, Durham (303 beds). S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

THE MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Chester Road, Sunderland (81 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. or S.C.M. only will be considered. Part I Midwifery Training School. Resident or non-resident.

THORPE MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Easington, Co. Durham (32 beds). S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

THE MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Chester Road, Sunderland (81 beds). S.R.N. Six months training on 1st May and 1st August, 1957.

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Chesterfield Hospital Management Committee

SCARSDALE HOSPITAL, CHESTERFIELD

Part II Midwifery Training School

Applications are invited for the appointment of **First Assistant Matron,** effective 1st February ,1957, at the above hospital of 622 beds, which includes a large maternity unit of 72 beds, and beds for medical, chronic sick and mental patients. Candidates must be S.R.N., S.C.M., and should have good administrative experience. Whitley Council salary scale (£640 x £20 (5)—£740 per annum, less £191 per annum board and lodging charge, where resident) and conditions of service.

Further particulars obtainable from the undersigned, to whom detailed applications including names of two referees, should be returned as soon as possible.

M. H. BOONE,
Secretary, Chesterfield Royal Hospital.
(3285)

ROYAL HOSPITAL AND HOME FOR INCURABLES
WEST HILL, PUTNEY, LONDON, S.W.15

Administrative Sister, resident, and **Junior Sister** or **Staff Nurse,** resident or non-resident, required. F.S.S.N. Whitley scale of salary and conditions of service. Applications, with two names for reference, to Matron. (3319)

OXFORD REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

(43 BANBURY ROAD, OXFORD)

Berkshire, Buckinghamshire, Northamptonshire, Oxfordshire, and parts of Gloucestershire and Wiltshire.

Applications are invited for the following appointments, which should be sent, with details of age, training, qualifications and experience, to the Matron of the appropriate Hospital, from whom further details may be obtained. National salary scales apply.

Inquiries about other posts and training facilities should be addressed to the Board's Nursing Officer.

GENERAL NURSING APPOINTMENTS

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT

Tindal General Hospital, Aylesbury (Mainly General—261 beds). Immediate vacancy.

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTERS

Sandleford Hospital, Newbury, Berks. (Chronic Sick, Maternity and Part III—149 beds). Able to relieve Assistant Matron. Applications to Group Secretary, Reading and District H.M.C., 3 Craven Road, Reading.

DEPARTMENTAL SISTERS

Sandleford Hospital, Newbury, Berks. For Maternity Unit (17 beds). Department being modernised.

Tindal General Hospital, Aylesbury (Mainly General—260 beds). **Theatre Superintendent.** Immediate vacancy.

NIGHT SISTERS

Buckingham Hospital, Buckingham (General—21 beds). **Night Sister or Staff Nurse.**

Royal Berkshire Hospital, Reading (General—341 beds). **Junior Night Sister,** one of three.

St. Mary's Hospital, Wallingford (Chronic Sick—127 beds). **Night Sister in sole charge.**

Stoke Mandeville Hospital, Aylesbury (General—619 beds). One of five working with Night Superintendent.

Tindal General Hospital, Aylesbury (Mainly General — 260 beds). One of two, working under Night Superintendent. Required immediately.

Wallingford and District Hospital, Wallingford, Berks. (General—18 beds).

Wokingham Hospital, Wokingham, Berks. (Chronic Sick and Maternity—145 beds).

THEATRE SISTERS

Peppard Chest Hospital, Nr. Henley-on-Thames, Oxon. (236 beds). For busy Thoracic Unit. Two required, working under Theatre Superintendent. Experience of theatre work essential. B.T.A. Certificate advantage, but training for Certificate may be taken at the hospital.

Royal Berkshire Hospital, Reading (General—341 beds). For Gynaecological Theatre.

Wallingford and District Hospital, Wallingford, Berks. (General—18 beds).

SISTERS

Cold Ash Children's Hospital, Newbury (34 beds). Ward Sister, S.R.N., or R.S.C.N., for Children's Long-stay Hospital.

Newbury District Hospital, Newbury, Berks. (General—90 beds). For Female Ward—28 beds. Medical and Surgical including Gynaecology. Also Junior Night Sister.

Peppard Chest Hospital, Nr. Henley-on-Thames, Oxon. (236 beds). Experienced Ward Sister for Medical Ward of 38 beds. B.T.A. Certificate an advantage but training may be taken here. Also experienced Sister for Out-patients' Department. Resident or non-resident.

Reading and District H.M.C. Two Group Relief Sisters. Applications are invited from S.R.N.s willing to undertake duties at any of the hospitals in the group as the need arises. These S.R.N.s will be based at the Royal Berkshire Hospital, Reading, between periods of secondment. Detailed applications to Group Secretary, 3 Craven Road, Reading.

Royal Berkshire Hospital, Reading (General—341 beds). Experienced Sister for busy Female Surgical Ward.

Wallingford and District Hospital, Berks. (General—18 beds). **Ward Sister.**

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

Battle Hospital, Reading. For Part II Training School. Unit of 48 beds and 16 Premature Baby Cots. Labour Ward Sister.

St. George's Hospital, Wallingford, Berks. (17 beds). For night duty.

Sandleford Hospital, Newbury, Berks. (Chronic Sick and Maternity—118 beds). (Maternity Unit of 14 beds). For night duty or alternative day and night duty.

Townlands Hospital, Henley-on-Thames, Oxon. (Partly Acute—104 beds). Two required.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

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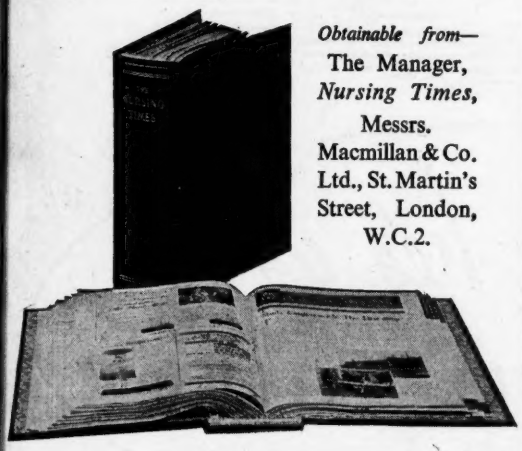

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Thoughts About Christmas

by CANON W. F. FRANCE

'Welcome, all wonders in one sight! Eternity shut in a span,
Summer in winter, day in night, Heaven in earth, and God in man;
Great little One! whose all-embracing birth
Lifts earth to heav'n, stoops heav'n to earth.'

SO indeed it is. And a Christmas message to be printed under the heading *Nursing Times* cannot forget those two qualities which adorn the nursing profession—scientific knowledge, and devotion in care; for Christmas has much to say about both.

Those who are enthralled by the astonishments of anatomy may recall Professor Young's Reith Lectures on the anatomy of the human brain. In these he showed (if I may attempt reproduction without exact quotation or reference) how the brain, infinitely more complex, sensitive, accurate, and rapid in reaction than the most marvellous telephone exchange imaginable, has in the human the added function of being most wonderfully designed to communicate; that is to say, to receive and to transmit ideas. Animals lack such equipment. Dog for all his wisdom and affection cannot discuss art or theology with other dog. But the human brain in its physical structure both allows and impels man to tell his thoughts to others. And, it may be remembered, the lecturer illustrated this by telling how he found himself emotionally overwhelmed, when on a visit to Notre Dame in Paris, in seeking to know what the men who built this perfection in beauty were striving to say to their own and to succeeding ages.

What then are we to think and how can we tell our thoughts about the Mother and Babe in the stable? For a moment the curtain is drawn aside and we are allowed to behold in awe one perfect scene in the drama of God's quest for erring man. We are hushed and dumb in adoring amazement; for neither the magic of words in poetry, nor the music of a divine symphony, nor the brush of inspired painting, can ever capture and convey thought about the tremulous beauty of the Mother embracing the Holy Child and the Babe looking up to his Mother in the confidence of love. And all this not in the cleanliness of a church crib at Christmas time, but in the cold and dirt and dark of a stable.

The wise scientist will first reflect on the mystery of himself that he is so made as to be able to perceive a little of the meaning of this beauty. And the thinker will remind himself that in what the philosopher calls process and reality this is but one link in the eternal chain of process. "God, who at sundry times and in divers manners spake in time past . . . hath in these last days spoken unto us by His Son . . . by whom also he made the worlds."

Creative process in the physical world is, for the most part, by seed. And because there is no real distinction between the so-called metaphysical and the physical (even though the former cannot yet be seen under a microscope or captured in the test tube) there is the same seed process in all that the Christ did and said. He taught in the metaphor and parable of seeds. There is neither explosion nor compulsion in what he was. His birth, his resurrection, his ascension, are the quiet seed-like beginnings of such tremendous consequences. And herein is the vaulting joy of Christmas. We were not there at the beginnings and if we had been we would not have recognized a holy nativity. But seeing them in retrospect we know now something of their purpose and so in the words of the cowboy carol we can sing "A new world is starting from

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CHRISTMAS GREETINGS to all our readers and Good Wishes for the coming year.

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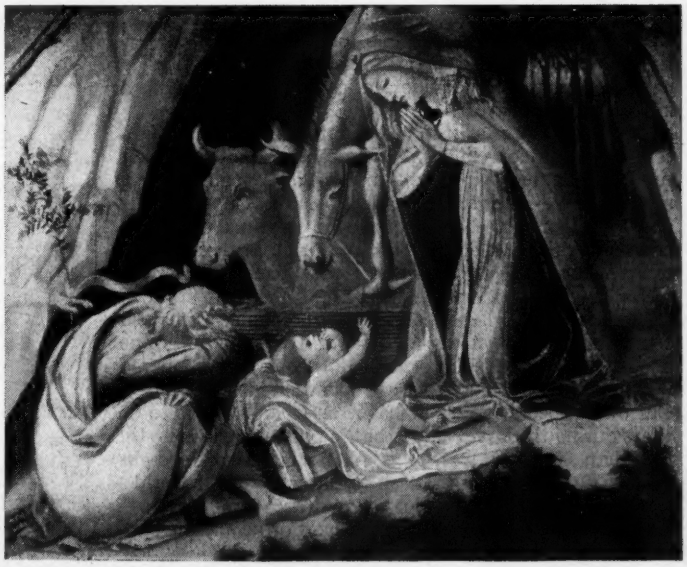

tonight". There remains the gnawing perplexity of sin and suffering in all their relentless cruelty. Why, we ask, did God design a universe in which these things were possible? We may not know. But we do perceive that out of suffering come all the higher virtues such as courage, patience, endurance, sacrifice. To see others suffer and not be able to help is the keenest suffering. God saw; and the seeking Shepherd came to find, to rescue, and to help. But not to compel. Love cannot compel; it can only plead. Tyranny compels. Man compelled would cease to be man.

Love is alive, and is ceaselessly moving to and fro between the poles of sacrifice and desire. This we know well enough in human affairs. We yearn for the response of the beloved and will make any sacrifice to achieve it. So also is the love of God for man. The measure of His yearning is seen (and recalls again the strange capacity of our brain to perceive and to assess) in the heights and depths of His sacrifice.

The ineffable amazement of Christmas is just because we know it to be the prelude to Calvary; but that tragic hill was levelled by the resurrection.

Christmas presents? Yes of course, because the first Christmas present was God's gift to man. And in the last-minute rush to get something for someone we may have forgotten, what of a present for Him? His list of 'wants' is very brief. Spare me, he pleads, a little of your love.

Topical Notes

Brigadier C. M. Johnson, matron-in-chief and director of the Army Nursing Services, wearing the new mess dress for Q.A.R.A.N.C. officers — scarlet satin mess jacket, white Terylene ninon blouse, scarlet cummerbund and black satin skirt.

Student Nurse Broadcasts to Her People

MISS ADEBUKUNOLA ADELAJA, student nurse at Harrow Hospital, Middlesex, has been selected from Nigerian students in the United Kingdom to broadcast greetings over the Nigerian radio on Christmas Eve. Softly spoken and gentle in manner, Miss Adelaja told our reporter she has always wanted to be a nurse. She has been in this country since October and has just finished her preliminary training. She hopes to complete general, midwifery and health visitor training before going back to Nigeria to work among her people. She is 19, the eldest of eight children. Her family live in Ibadan and her father is a superintendent of health for the government.

Miss Adebukunola Adelaja who is to broadcast Christmas Greetings to the people of Nigeria on Christmas Eve.

Unicef is 10 Years Old

THIS MONTH UNICEF celebrates its 10th birthday. In December 1946 the General Assembly of the United Nations established the organization known as the United Nations Children's Fund (or UNICEF). Since then, governments and private citizens of 100 countries have contributed to provide services reaching over 35 million children a year. Basic medical equipment has been supplied for nearly 10,000 maternal and child welfare centres; 60 million children have been vaccinated against tuberculosis; this year alone, 7 million children and nursing mothers have received milk and other diet supplements, and 11 million have been protected against malaria. The enormous volume of administrative work that these figures represent is, it is encouraging to know, carried out by a UNICEF staff which totals only 310. There are still 600 million under-privileged people in the under-developed countries; in some areas in the world there is only one doctor for every 75,000 or 80,000 people, as compared with one doctor to about 1,000 population in this country. Our own expectation of life has risen from 40 years to 65 years during the last century, but in parts of Asia it is still less than 40 years. There is, therefore, great need for UNICEF to "re-dedicate itself to the cause of the world's children" at the outset of its second decade of service—and in so doing it deserves the support of people of goodwill in all lands.

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Don't forget to write up your ward festivities—they may win one of our annual prizes for the most effective and original ward decoration at Christmas. Full details were given on pages 1274 and 1308 and a further entry form will be published next week.

Princess Margaret at Fountain Hospital

PRINCESS MARGARET delighted everyone at the Fountain Hospital by her visit on December 11. At very short notice, the Princess deputized for Queen Elizabeth the Queen Mother, who had a chill, and presented the prizes and certificates to successful candidates qualifying as nurses for mental defectives, also to the nursing assistants who had passed their practical tests. Before a large gathering of past and present hospital staff, members of the management committee, parents of prizewinning nurses and friends of the hospital, she was welcomed by Mr. J. C. Davies, chairman of the management committee, Miss E. A. Bell, matron, and Dr. L. T. Hilliard, physician superintendent. In her address the Princess recalled that the prizegiving ceremony at the Fountain Hospital was always held in December to commemorate Edith Cavell's commencement of training at the hospital. The nursing of mentally defective children called for a particular degree of compassion and kindness, she said; rewards were not in speedy recovery, but in the close nurse-patient relationships, for the hospital often had to take the place of home for the children. Miss Bell reported several new events and successful developments; the secondment of a ward sister for six months to assist the principal tutor, in order to relate theory and practice more closely; refresher courses and study days for senior nurses within the hospital and elsewhere; also the success of the mental health exhibition held recently in Tooting. The hospital has offered work and homes to four Hungarians. Miss Daphne Clarke, the best nurse of the year in theoretical and practical nursing, seconded a vote of thanks to the Princess, proposed by Dr. Hilliard. Her Royal Highness took tea with the committee and senior hospital officers and met senior nurses and long-service members of staff.

PRINCESS MARGARET PRESENTS THE PRIZES

Above: *Miss D. Clarke, staff nurse, seconding the vote of thanks to the Princess, with, left to right, Mr. R. B. Hubbard, tutor, Miss E. A. Bell, matron, and Mr. J. C. Davies chairman of the Hospital Management Committee.*

Right: *Princess Margaret leaving the Fountain Hospital after the prizegiving.*

FIFTY YEARS AGO

From the Nursing Times December 22, 1906

CHRISTMAS AT GUY'S HOSPITAL.—As usual Christmas at Guy's Hospital is likely to be on a big scale, and there are one or two interesting features. On Christmas Day itself no member of the nursing staff is allowed to leave her ward, which rule extends even to the ward maids, and on that day the nursing staff actually have their meals with their patients, a feature not in practice in any other London hospital. The students, got up as a nigger troupe, go round every ward giving entertainments. On Christmas Eve the choir from St. Saviour's, Southwark, are to sing carols; for the 28th a big entertainment has been organized by Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Hicks, when patients are to be brought among the entertainers. On Friday following Christmas Day a theatrical performance is to be given by the nursing staff. Miss Swift, matron, though ready to give a helping hand, leaves her staff to self-government in both work and play.

Newcastle General Hospital

A NEW DEPARTMENT of psychological medicine at the General Hospital, Newcastle upon Tyne, was opened recently by Sir Russell Brain, president of the Royal College of Physicians. An in-patient unit, with single rooms and small wards of four beds, rooms for occupational therapy, recreation, carpentry, handicrafts and lectures, provides accommodation for 54 patients and facilities for the investigation of acute cases in a remodelled building which used to house geriatric patients. A nearby building, once used as a dry goods store, has been converted to provide an outpatient centre. The new department, the brochure published for the opening states, " will constitute the sort of modern psychiatric treatment centre that, as is becoming increasingly recognized, should be available at every large general hospital." Advice on planning was given by Miss D. Gibson, former matron, Professor Alexander Kennedy, Professor Martin Roth, and Dr. T. E. Hurley.

Accommodation during Rome Congress

NURSES ATTENDING the International Council of Nurses Congress in Rome from May 27 to June 1 should post their blue reservation Form B for accommodation and excursions during the congress to reach CIT, Rome, by January 15.

CATERING IN SCHOOLS

by M. J. DUCKWORTH, S.R.N.

THERE is no doubt that the most necessary qualification for a school matron, especially in junior schools, is that she should be a State-registered nurse. Small children are seldom able to give an adequate description of any of their ailments—they may be very ill one hour, and seem very well the next; and judgement based on knowledge is a vital part of our equipment when looking after children in numbers. It takes the place, one might say, of the instinctive knowledge a mother has with regard to her sick child—an instinct that arises from the really *intimate* knowledge of the child itself —" I knew it were more than just 'flu, Doctor. I know our Johnny when he is really sick ". And even with a trained nurse on her staff, it is still good for the matron to be qualified also in order to be able to assess rightly the capabilities and suitability of the nurse on engagement, to take over when the nurse is off duty, to be able to help in times of epidemic, and also perhaps to be able to give her some backing, or the right kind of moral support, when through illness or accident the nurse's responsibility becomes heavier.

A trained matron knows very well that good nutrition and proper feeding is essential in order to maintain a high standard of good health; and it is of the utmost importance that the matron knows how to feed her family at school, and is able to combine her theoretical knowledge of this subject with a practical application. In other words, she must know what her children need in the way of food, and know also how to give it to them, bearing in mind the staff factor, the equipment available, the school time-table and the relation between cost and daily requirement.

My experience is concerned with junior schools, and chiefly with the age group 7-plus to 11-plus. At such an age particularly one may appeal to the child through his stomach—and therefore the food must be palatable as well as wholesome in content. In boarding schools, apart from the physical health factor, there is the psychosomatic detail that an attractive diet helps a child to settle down to his new environment, to remain satisfied and cheerful, and to begin his great learning of how to develop as an individual and stand on his own feet, without any prolonged homesickness to retard or warp such a development.

Guidance on General Principles

It is admitted that guidance may well be sought frequently from a dietetic handbook concerning calorific valuation, nutrient values, etc. (the *Manual of Nutrition* published by H.M.S.O. 1953 is never far from my side). But the purpose of this article is not to dwell on this categorized detail, but rather to show how, in my experience, the practical side and the principles of school catering may be effected in order that the resultant diet can be regarded favourably by the most knowledgeable dietician. Here therefore is an outline of the general principles involved from the ordering of food to its actual consumption by the children, and its effect on their growth and development. To reassure critical readers, it may perhaps be mentioned that when this school was visited by H.M. Inspectors last term, the catering inspector com- plimented us wholeheartedly on the standard of feeding i our school.

Stores and Ordering

Although stores are invariably carried over week b week, perishable goods must, of course, be ordered weekl With regard to other groceries, we adopt the method o ordering in fair quantities at the beginning of term, an then renewing over staggered periods throughout the term In this way the stores contain the maximum variety o goods maintained with the minimum risk of overstocking (which invariably involves wastage and overcosting) fr the set period of, say, one term.

Each week, therefore, an order is made covering firs those essentials to any good daily diet. These item include:

Butter and Margarine	Potatoes
Cooking Fat	Fresh Fruit
Cheese	Dried Fruit
Sugar	Jam and Honey
Eggs	Flour, national and wholeme
Meat	Sardines and Herrings
Bacon	Fresh fish
Bread	Milk

These items are not set out in order of priorit Milk for example appears last but is very far from bei the least important; 1½ pints per head per day should b the basis for calculating the quantity to be ordered. T need should not vary much from day to day, and if it i found that now and again a quantity is being left unus each day, the matter is one for investigation rather th that an unquestioning alteration should be made to th order. If on the other hand it is found that the usu quantity is proving insufficient, this is usually a cause f rejoicing rather than alarm—but at the same time a che must be made to ensure that enough of the other items being provided, as it may be found that the extra milk being taken in lieu of some other item which has an adde or different, nutrient value. Or again, that some oth part of the diet is not being cooked or served sufficient well to attract, and that the milk is being taken as substitute.

As many children are reluctant to take fat in the for of fat meat, or bacon, the weekly requirement of margari and cooking fat must be watched. Thus if fried bread a butter (or margarine at times) are being consumed adequate amounts, there is no need to press the chi unduly to eat the form of fat that is repulsive to him.

Meat, cheese, eggs, sugar, fresh fruit and vegetabl are all items of such vital importance that one bare considers the word economy regarding their supply; these cases the economic factor lies in their wise use. contend that no first-class diet can exist with less th four eggs per head per week. Meat should be of t quality as in the end this is definitely an economy owi to the smaller proportion of waste—as well as eliminati the possibility of that kind of food poisoning which m

occur through the consumption of inferior meat. When fresh fruit and vegetables are being valued at a time when they are scarce and expensive, the pen may sometimes hover over the paper—'Shall I—ought I ?' The answer must be invariably 'Yes'. There are other items, just as luxurious but far less necessary, that one may eliminate wholly or partially to level out the costs at these times; but there is *no* satisfactory alternative to an adequate fresh fruit and green vegetable supply.

Bread today involves us in an expense which our ancestors would never have been able to realize. It must be ordered most conscientiously. Bread consumption always varies and a standing order of bread invariably leads to the serving of stale bread on some days—"Never mind, it will adjust itself in a day or two"—oh, the poison of apathy over such details! Yeast is cheap—and how the boys love to be greeted with hot crisp bread rolls for tea, and whereas the yeast for those costs very little, the loaves used to supply them with bread and butter for the same meal would cost about 14s.

Pillars of Variety

Apart from these regular items there are to be considered those that form the 'pillars of variety'. These include, for example, baked beans or spaghetti in tomato sauce, tomato purée, golden syrup, dry macaroni, corned beef or cereal loaf. Among these are to be found both weekly requirements and those that can be ordered over a period to stagger the costs and increase the variety. The same principle may be applied to kitchen groceries—the essences, cornflour, custard powder, tea, condiments, spices, herbs, gelatine, coconut, etc.; all ordered in sufficient quantity to warrant wholesale supplies, to last a worthwhile period, but staggered between each other to level weekly or monthly accounts.

Breakfast cereals are one of our joys, for besides serving porridge twice a week, Shreddies and Shredded Wheat, Puffed Wheat, cornflakes, Rice Crispies, Weetabix and All Bran are heaped on the shelves in colourful pyramids to provide the variety and unexpectedness each day which leads to the consumption of a valuable quantity of sugar and milk each morning.

Last under this heading, a word about sugar. Remember the varieties and use them. There is one side of our stores that is always popular with our cooks. There is the bin of granulated sugar, and next to it that of castor; against that one of Demerara, and side by side with that is the Scotch moist, and lastly the 28 lb. tins of icing sugar. Porridge is more exciting served with Demerara brown; a fruit crumble has a most enticing smell and taste when made with Scotch moist; the pies are always more appetizing when dredged with castor—and there is no need to elaborate on what can be done for children when there is icing sugar always to hand!

If one begins to wonder at any time whether the catering is getting better or worse, I strongly recommend that note is taken of the spirit in which the weekly task of drawing up the menu is approached. If this is done in haste, with disinterest, boredom or apathy, then it is quite certain that the catering is going downhill. If it is done in such a fashion that on surveying the finished article it is observed with triumph that it bears no resemblance to that of the previous week, or even the week before—and that it appears to read more interestingly than ever, then all is well. It is by interest, by patience, and even by that lovely quality of wonder that the cook develops the equivalent of the true gardener's 'green fingers'.

The heads of most schools will doubtless be the first people to emphasize the value of regular, unhurried meals, well spaced throughout the day, and suitable to the ages of the various children. Our programme is as follows (in a school for boys of $7\frac{1}{2}$-$11\frac{1}{2}$):

8 a.m.	Breakfast.
11 a.m.	School milk and snack.
1.10 p.m.	Lunch.
5.15 p.m.	High tea.
7 p.m.	$7\frac{1}{2}$-9 years. Milk and biscuit.
7.10 p.m.	9-10 years. Milk and biscuit, cake or scone.
7.20 p.m.	10-$11\frac{1}{2}$ years. Milk and one course, such as boiled eggs, kippers, soup, scotch eggs, stuffed baked potatoes, etc., served with bread and butter.
7.45 p.m.	Staff dinner.

Breakfast consists of either porridge or cereal, followed by a course of bacon, scrambled egg and spaghetti or boiled eggs. Bread and margarine with plenty of marmalade completes the meal.

With regard to lunch, the main effort is directed towards:

(*a*) the acquisition of *good* meat, well cooked and appetizingly served;

(*b*) the plentiful supply of various fresh vegetables cooked properly and served well

(*c*) a large variety of sweets.

Imagination

High teas are always a strain on the imagination, and perhaps an exchange of ideas among those concerned with school catering might be helpful. Very often it is the accessory that makes or mars the popularity of the dish. For example, a good cheese and potato pie or a tuna fish pie are both usually popular, especially if they have eggs in them; so also is a cottage pie. Served with tomato ketchup these all become real favourites. Sardines are generally acceptable—in summer their flavour is enhanced if they lie in a bed of lettuce; in winter their popularity is sustained by a bed of potato crisps. Sausage and mash go down far more easily if there is gravy too—and fresh cheese is very popular if it is served with fresh bread rolls or homemade brown bread and butter.

The supper dish for our older boys takes a middle course between large scale cooking and their family favourites. As only the boys are involved, it is possible to give them many things that may be impracticable for the whole school—the boys are quick to realize this and their appreciation of this meal grows accordingly. I have come to be a firm believer in the fact that the more a boy enjoys his food, the more does it benefit him, provided that he is not permitted to become greedy over it.

Balancing the menu is of course of the utmost importance. A beef-steak pie must not be followed by a jam tart. A suet pudding day is not one on which to serve a potato dish for tea. The fresh fruit allowance should be spaced evenly throughout the week. We usually adopt the practice of giving fresh fruit for tea when we do not have a hot dish, that is, when we serve, say, cheese and bridge rolls, or brown bread and butter, scones and cake. We do not choose a fried supper if the potatoes at lunch time have been roasted; nor do we choose an egg dish for supper if eggs have been served for breakfast. These factors are all the concern of common sense only, but nevertheless it is very easy to overlook them, especially when thinking at the same time of the 'oven-*versus*-top' work on the stove, the need to economise on fuel, the availability of the steamer, which cook is on duty for which meal, and how much one needs to prepare for the following day.

Let no menu *ever* be repeated weekly and bear the stamp of monotony, so that the children know that Tuesday morning is sausage morning and Wednesday dinner stew. Variety plays a most important part in

stimulating the appetite and must be as wide as possible.

There is no beginning and no end to the possibilities of the weekly menu. The chief maxim to bear in mind with regard to this task is, in my opinion, " Rejoice in each improvement, but never be wholly satisfied ". It is a task of great scope and on it depends to some extent the success or otherwise of the catering; to some extent, but of course, not entirely, for what matters the architect's blue-print if the bricks and mortar and master builders are not there to convert it into reality ?

The Little Things in the Kitchen

We know the financier's motto, ' Look after the pennies, and the pounds will look after themselves '. So must the matron watch for the little things in her kitchens. It is fatal to think that after a few hours spent compiling the week's menu and ordering the groceries, meat, vegetables, milk and bread, that her responsibilities are then over for a week. Does the vegetable cook have his mint bundled ready to go in with the potatoes and peas ? Is his parsley ready for garnishing ? Does he dish up with melted margarine at hand ? Watch the dishing-up—ensure *hot* food; make certain the greens are well cleaned and not over-cooked. Listen to the comments of the children—they judge without inhibitions. And remember that alternate doses of encouragement and appreciation and criticism, do more to stimulate the interest of the kitchen staff than anything else.

Saki wrote, and wrote truly: " She was a good cook, and as good cooks go, she went ". And because of this popular saying one hears so often the utterly deplorable statement " We mustn't upset the cook " !

A good cook may decide to depart owing to lack of criticism, or owing to an excess of criticism, but I have never met a cook who is worth while feel anything but appreciation for interested, constructive criticism. If anything is obviously wrong with any particular dish it is our duty to know the reason why. If it is due to a mishap not likely to recur, a word of sympathy is all that is needed. If it is caused by some difficulty over equipment, skill or supplies, it is best omitted from the menu in the future. If it is caused through carelessness, we must scold wholeheartedly. If it is something in the recipe ' not quite right ', go right through the process with the cook, see if a diagnosis can be made of the reason for the failure, endeavour to work out an improved formula, and try the dish again as soon as possible.

Nothing, however, is more calculated to stem the interest of any cook than to ignore all fairly good cooking, to be afraid to criticize bad cooking, and to remember only now and again to mention that something has tasted especially good. And apart from criticism, there is great satisfaction to be found in working with the cook or chef to build up recipes from ideas gleaned from conversation, or flavours from dishes tasted in restaurants or hotels, or other schools; or simplifying and building up recipes from favourite home dishes, impracticable in their entirety for economical large-scale catering.

A Formidable Task

Supervision of the kitchen hygiene is a task to be carried out by the matron herself and never to be delegated. Know the standard required—and keep it. In fact these few words present a task often more difficult and more formidable than that of finding a good cook and keeping her, for it is not an attractive task to be ever in the footsteps of kitchen maids and porters, and yet neither is theirs an attractive task. Therefore it requires infinite patience to deal with them day after day, admonishing, reminding, encouraging, without becoming irritable an impatient. If irritability gains the upper hand, the st leave; and when that happens one's difficulties begin ov again; so that, although there must be firmness, it do not pay to become weary and cross.

Milk jugs and measures must be washed and scald each day, sinks must never be allowed to become grea soaked, swill bins must be watched. Food lifts must b scrubbed daily, wooden surfaces must be kept clean an smooth. Washing-up must be supervised closely—a goo detergent used (it is an economy in the long run to use th best), and the morning round must include a tour of larde and stores.

These paragraphs do not claim to be complete. The merely throw into relief a few items concerning hygiene i the kitchen; but unless these and all others are dealt wi most conscientiously and supervised constantly, one exposing the children to many a risk of food poisoning either a major or a minor degree.

Healthy Appetites

A really healthy child does not need much tempti with regard to food. Their appetities will be as health as themselves and although individually they will all hav their preferences, they will not be unduly fussy provide that the food is varied, cooked well and served attractivel Rice puddings can be a great favourite if they are swee of a creamy consistency, free of lumps, and served with a little fruit—perhaps, plums, prunes or rhubarb. Semoli is considerably cheered up when served with jam o flavoured with chocolate. Fruit pies and sponges attrac the eye of children if they are liberally dredged with castor sugar. Steamed syrup pudding must be dressed wit syrup after being dished up. Custards and sauces mus never be lumpy—nor porridge.

Check the tendency of all vegetable cooks to put thei roast potatoes in the oven an hour too soon " in case th ovens get temperamental ". The result is a soggy mes instead of a golden brown, crisp potato. Let the meat b carved thinly, and let trouble be taken to remove excessiv fat and stringy fibres from each portion. If, in the interest of economy, butter is served alternately with margarine it is a good idea to serve margarine when jam or marmalade is to be spread, and save the butter for serving in pat with bridge rolls or scones, or for cheese and salad dishes Lard may be considered an extravagence by the commercial caterer—but what a difference when an egg is fried in lard to one fried in cheaper cooking fat. What a difference it makes to the pastry. And is it such an extravagance when it guarantees no waste ?

It does not matter how carefully the food is prepared if the service is poor. If the dining-room is any distance at all from the kitchen, a good sized hot plate is essential and must be used. Choose the system of service best suited to the local arrangements of the tables, the service available, and whether or not adults are available for supervision. In our school, each table seats 12 or 14 boys, and is presided over by two masters or mistresses, one at each end. Each table has its own dishes, The main dish is served by the master, the boys helping themselves to the accessory dishes. There is usually silence until the boys are served, then a tinkle of the bell indicates permission to speak. If the crescendo of noise becomes too great, and it is thought that the boys are talking too much to be able to eat well, a second ring indicates a return to silence which may or may not continue then until the end of the meal. A ' plate boy ' is appointed at each table to collect the plates and dishes at the end of each course and pile them onto the trolleys placed between the tables at intervals. The refectorians are then able to concentrate

wholly on the service of dishes and drinks for the following course, and can clear the trolleys when convenient, to keep supplied those washing up in the annexed lobby.

Every attempt is made to ensure that the dishes look attractive when they are placed on the tables, and because each contains a maximum of 14-16 portions only, this should always be possible.

Costing

There must exist in any well-run household some relation between cost and kind. On present values it is scarcely considered possible to cost at less than £1 6s. per head per week if a first-class standard of diet is to be maintained. The basis of such costing would be roughly calculated as follows.

Breakfast	Cereal or porridge Bacon or egg or sausage or beans } with fried bread Bread and butter Marmalade Tea	1s.
Lunch	Meat or fish Potatoes Second vegetable Pudding Custard	1s. 7d.
Tea	Cooked dish—fish pie, cheese and salad, sardines on toast, etc. Milk and tea Bread, butter and jam Fruit and cake alternately	9½d.
Supper	Milk and biscuit or milk and boiled egg or similar	Average 4d.
	Total 3s. 8½d.—£1 6s. per week	

In any sizeable school, however, the costing would be the responsibility of the bursar or equivalent person, and the matron would therefore be guided in her requisitioning by obtaining from the bursar some idea of the basic costs. An excellent and workable plan is to keep, with the co-operation of the bursar if necessary, a scheduled list of commodities showing the amount used per issue or per head, and the cost, adjusted of course from time to time, in accordance with current prices. For example:

Fats	— 12½ oz. per head per week at 2s. per head.
Milk	— 1¾ pints per head per day at 1s. per head per issue.
Bacon	— 1 oz. per issue equals approx. 2½d. per head per issue.
Sugar	— 14 oz. per head per week at 5d. per day.
Bread	— 1½ loaves per head per week at 1½d. per day.
Fruit	— 8d. per head per week.
Spaghetti	— (tinned, in sauce) 3 oz. per head per issue at 2d.
Sardines	— 1½ oz. per head per issue at 3d.

A comprehensive list of this type is more than helpful as a guide to expense. But to anyone concerned with school catering, the most important factor *must* be the awareness of nutritional value in detail, rather than constant and exaggerated attention to cost. Once a planned diet takes concrete shape it should be costed, adjusted as far as possible to meet the figure aimed at, and the emphasis then removed from the costing. It is surprising how much variety can be obtained if a wide range of basic goods is stocked regularly and used in recognized quantities. Once the person responsible has in mind a general policy for the diet sheets and an eye to economy as well, it will be found almost certainly that weekly costings will not vary very much over a monthly average.

Watching the Children's Weights

Our final check is to watch the boys' weights. At our school we weigh fortnightly and the weight of each boy is recorded in the weight book, an average weight for each form also being recorded in graph form. The latter is particularly useful in indicating at a glance if something is going wrong. For example, during the very cold spell last January the weights began to suffer slightly, but quite definitely. On investigation it was found that the boys were not enjoying their milk in the mid-morning break, as it had only just arrived from the farm then, and was chilled from the journey. Some of the bottles in fact were not being completely emptied. Accordingly we provided a hot chocolate drink for mid-morning while the very cold weather persisted, in sufficient quantity for second helpings. The weights adjusted themselves very quickly, and progressed then in the normal way. We do not want to fuss, or to panic, or to frighten our staff away, but it is most certainly the detail that counts in feeding, in order to produce both quality and value, and to produce it in such a way that the appetite is well stimulated.

Book Reviews

Your Pregnancy

A Simple Guide for the Expectant Mother.—by John Pougher, M.B., CH.B., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., and Molly Pougher, M.C.S.P. (*William Heinemann Medical Books Limited, 99, Great Russell Street, London, W.C.1, 3s. 6d.*)

This booklet is a simple guide for the expectant mother, written by a doctor in collaboration with a physiotherapist. The pregnant woman's problems are dealt with in a systematic and essentially practical way. On the whole the book follows the course of other similar guides, but rather surprisingly includes chapters on the Rhesus factor, on alternative methods of delivery, and a section on disproportion. Also included is a chapter entitled 'Other People's Advice' which deals with various old wives' tales, ignorant superstitions and erroneous theories. The reviewer feels that it is questionable even to mention these stories to the suggestible mind of the mother-to-be. Is it not better to give a general warning about gullibility and to ignore such ideas, to treat them with the contempt they deserve, rather than to dignify them by putting them into print? The booklet is, however, a very useful one and can be recommended with confidence.

J. O., S.R.N., S.C.M., D.N. (LOND.)

Human Biology

—by E. J. Saunders, M.A. (*University Tutorial Press, Limited, Clifton House, Euston Road, London, N.W.1, 9s. 6d.*)

In the preface to this book the author states that his aim is to reverse the role whereby too much consideration has been paid to the anatomy of selected animals and plants and too little to man. He suggests that in introducing biology sometimes the mental jump from an animal, such as the rabbit, to man has been too great.

It is claimed that this book covers the syllabuses in Human Biology for the General Certificate of Education of various examination boards and also that of the preliminary State examination of the General Nursing Council —meaning presumably the syllabuses of Anatomy and Physiology and Personal and Communal Health in the preliminary State examination.

It is doubtful if this book should be considered as a

reasonable textbook for student nurses. There are 330 pages altogether, pages 244-330 covering elementary bacteriology and personal and communal health. Chapters 1–11 deal with anatomy and physiology simply, but there is little that would not be found in one of the older textbooks —and some unnecessary detail. Several diagrams—such as Figs. 12 and 14, dissection of the rat and abdominal organs of the rat (Fig. 23, brain of rat and Fig. 117, neck of rat), and Figs. 111 and 112, the brain of dogfish—may serve for comparison with human organs and help the student who will carry out dissection of a mammal as part of practical work, but since the nursing student is mainly concerned with the position of structures in the human body it would have been more valuable to have included these. The diagram on page 115, Fig. 60, the thoracic and abdominal cavities of man, is inadequate and one would have thought unnecessary since it shows two 'spaces' only.

The section dealing with Personal and Communal Health seems inadequate—but then this book tries to take the place of two standard textbooks and it is difficult to accomplish this. The plates in this part of the book are good and the summary of landmarks in social progress will be found useful. On pages 278-282, clothing materials are considered and here the book is up to date in including the man-made fibres. However on page 92 in discussing blood and its functions the red cells are stated to live only three weeks and not approximately 120 days.

The subject matter is quite well arranged, headings are in bold print, but the paper is not of the best, though the print is clear. Possibly the most useful part of the book is the list of suggestions for practical work included at the end of each chapter and the 'Miscellaneous Questions' at the end of the book —taken from Human Biology question papers set by examination bodies other than the General Nursing Council. It is unlikely that nurse tutors or student nurses would appreciate this book for their standard text.

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This Hospital is My Home

The Story of Bellevue.—by Salvatore R. Cutolo, M.D., with Arthur and Barbara Gelb. (*Victor Gollancz Limited, 14, Henrietta Street, London, W.C.2, 18s.*)

The title of this book is a strange one to give to a description of the Bellevue Hospital, New York. This vast institution has 2,700 patients, its daily average population is 9,700, the medical staff consists of 459 doctors and 1,000 visiting physicians and there are 1,384 nurses of various grades, and, on visiting days 10,000 visitors. Such astronomical figures do not make a hospital sound homely. As St. Peter's in Rome is to St. Paul's in London, so might the size of the Bellevue Hospital be compared with the largest of our English general hospitals.

It is a pity there are no illustrations in the book, so that those of us who have not visited New York might be able to visualize it to some extent. When one gets over the dramatic statements of the 1,000 major operations per month in the 15 operating rooms and the patients admitted to the emergency ward " with their throats cut from ear to ear or their limbs hanging by a thread ", one can then settle down and read with real interest the many sad histories of patients dealt with most kindly and efficiently.

Although size and numbers may not convey much to the reader, the story of what goes on day by day within the walls of this great institution must be instructive and have its popular appeal. The psychiatric pavilion with its 17,000 to 18,000 patients a year is one of the largest sections of the hospital. The writer, the deputy medical superintendent of the hospital, looks forward hopefully to a time when these mental illnesses may be more adequately dealt with. Our own problems in this sphere of medicine are much the same.

There is very little in the book about the training of nurses. Nevertheless this famous institution, with its 200-year-old history and with four medical schools attached, is a place one would like to visit and one is glad to have read about it.

H. M. G., D.N. (LOND.)

Adolescence

—by Isobel Stirling. (*National Association for Mental Health, 39, Queen Anne Street, London, W.1, 1s. 6d.*)

This 12-page pamphlet should have a place on the shelf of every mother with children of 10 or thereabouts. The young student nurse who has just emerged from the painful period which is therein described may find such clear self-portraits of her recent self that she may blush, but at the same time it may help her to be tolerant and reasonably accepting of such adolescent patients as may come her way as well as of some of her less mature colleagues. Trained nurses too, who with the passage of time may have forgotten their own adolescence, might find this little volume helpful in dealing with their students.

The work is entirely lacking in the mawkish sentimental style which unfortunately so often characterizes books on adolescence, and the author, a psychologist with children of her own, is to be congratulated on producing a really useful document.

Growth, family pressures, health, moodiness, daydreams, 'crushes', religion, sex, all of the major hurdles which face the child are briefly dealt with. Most important of all, the parents are helped to realize that the problems which they face, which may have seemed unique to them, are those faced by the parents of most teenagers. The problems remain, of course, but the pamphlet, while clarifying the present, is also, as it were, an evidence of things to come and as such should be comforting.

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Books Received

Pharmacology and Therapeutics (seventh edition).—*by Charles Solomon, M.D., F.A.C.P., and Elizabeth S. Gill, B.S., R.N.* (*J. B. Lippincott Co., Pitman Medical Publishing Co. Ltd., 40s.*)

Junior Health and Hygiene Manual. (*Produced for the British Red Cross Society by Educational Productions Ltd., 2s. 6d.*)

Cubicle Ward at Neasden Hospital

CONVERSION of a long narrow ward to 18 single cubicles for adult patients and children was recently completed at Neasden Hospital (for infectious diseases), London, N.W.10, and the new ward was officially opened by the Lord Cottesloe, chairman of the North West Metropolitan Regional Hospital Board, on December 3.

Decorated in restful pastel shades, each cubicle has an ultra-violet ray curtain above the door to prevent the spread of infection, large glass panels with curtains, adaptable bedside lights and an armchair. New cork flooring throughout lessens noise. Patients and staff in any part of the ward can communicate with the ward sister's office by the Tele-Nurse System (Sound Diffusion Ltd.), which also has a switch for 'continuous listening' in any cubicle.

The conversion, costing £8,000, is the first part of a development plan for renovation of the hospital and it is hoped that in time other wards will be similarly equipped.

DYSENTERY ITS CAUSE, PREVENTION AND TREATMENT

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DYSENTERY—literally the bad functioning of the intestines—is a term found throughout medical literature. It was once known as the bloody flux. It has been used for almost every condition causing diarrhoea. Today it normally refers to the two main groups of amoebic and bacillary dysentery. In this country amoebic dysentery is not a major problem, except for those unfortunate individuals who have picked up the infection overseas. It may present difficulties in both diagnosis and treatment, but cannot concern us today. Nor can *E. Coli* gastro-enteritis (The subject of the 0128,055 and 0111 appearing on path. reports.)

Bacillary Dysenteries

For most of us the second group—the bacillary dysenteries—forms the main concern. The causal organisms, bearing the name of Shiga, the Japanese worker who first isolated the group, are divided into sub-groups, of which only two are common in this country today, Flexner and Sonne.

Of the two, Flexner has become relatively unimportant and less common, while Sonne has steadily increased. Bacillary dysentery has gradually changed over the past 20 years from a comparatively rare condition with a very high mortality of nearly 40 per cent. to a very common condition with a very low mortality of under 1 per cent. Yet in 1954 notifications reached the highest-ever figure of over 30,000 in England and Wales and in Scotland over 10,500. If the present trend continues it will become our commonest endemic infectious disease.

This increase can only partly be accounted for by more accurate methods of diagnosis and more careful notification. It is generally agreed that it is a very real increase, and that there is no sign yet that the peak has been reached.

The fact that virulence has undoubtedly dropped, and that this and the increased knowledge of antibiotic and fluid replacement therapy means that very few die from the condition, has led some people to ask if we should go on worrying about it at all. This attractive proposition is unfortunately ruled out on two counts. First, because it is still a dangerous disease for babies, and particularly premature and undernourished infants, or children already suffering from another illness. Secondly, because anything which would tend to relax hygiene, particularly in residential institutions, could lead not only to more dysentery but to still further increase in food-poisoning, which is already showing an alarming upward trend throughout the country as a whole.

Sonne dysentery, on the other hand, is mainly spread by direct transfer of organisms, by faecal contamination of hands, and from the hands transferred to the mouth. This means that the main danger is in the lavatory, at potting time and the changing of napkins. Anyone who has watched young children in a lavatory or on a pot, knows how frequently hands touch seat or pot and then go straight to the mouth. There is no evidence that droplet infection plays any part, and although the dust of lavatory floors and sick-rooms can be shown to be contaminated this is probably of less importance. Dr. Hutchinson showed, however, that the Sonne organism could survive for 17 days on a wooden public lavatory seat.

The survival of the organisms outside the body is greatly favoured by damp, dark and cold. As might be expected, the incidence is greatest in the winter months when these climatic conditions obtain. The incidence is also considerably greater in the towns than in rural areas, and Dr. Ian Taylor has pointed out that in London there is a far heavier incidence in the overcrowded, predominantly working-class boroughs.

There is a definite fall during the Christmas and Easter holidays among schoolchildren, suggesting that the school lavatory is worthy of closer study.

The source of the organism is apparently always a human being. He may be suffering from the disease, be convalescent or a symptomless excretor or chronic carrier. We do not yet know why chronic carriers can be heavily infected and have no symptoms. Nor why a remarkably small number of the same organisms can make another individual very ill.

Prevention

No means of giving artificial immunity has been found, and with our babies already having smallpox, diphtheria, pertussis and polio immunization—and perhaps soon tetanus also—some will feel that it is just as well.

Attempts at prophylaxis with sulphonamides have met with failure. I do not know if anyone has tried using the more recent and very expensive broad spectrum antibiotics on any wide scale for this purpose. Therefore prevention depends upon detecting the carrier or the individual suffering from the disease at the earliest possible moment, and by strict hygiene limiting the spread. Clearly our attitude towards this problem is largely determined by the particular characteristics of the group of children with whom we are dealing. The maternity hospital, the isolation hospital, the children's hospital or ward, the residential nursery, the day nursery, the mothers' and babies' home, the residential nursery school, residential and day schools, and the family at home all have to deal with rather different aspects of the problem of prevention. All I can hope to do is to put forward certain general principles.

First, we would all like to find a way of ensuring that no child suffering from Sonne, incubating Sonne or carrying Sonne enters our communities. This is unfortunately a counsel of perfection. We do not of course normally move a child from a group where Sonne is known to be present to another environment. But most of us inevitably do get children carrying Sonne arriving in our midst sooner or later.

Here I think we can limit the danger, at any rate in residential units, by bacteriological examination of the

**Abstract of a lecture given at a study day for nursery matrons and tutors arranged by the Public Health Section, Royal College of Nursing.*

stools of children coming from any source found in practice to be more likely to bring in the infection.

For example, in our nursery we found that most of our outbreaks originated in children returning from hospital. Therefore all children returning from hospital have three daily stools examined, and are isolated until at least one negative has been obtained.

Similarly all babies under one year , wherever they come from, have three stools examined. Children over one year, not coming from hospital, have in general not constituted a danger for us, and we therefore do not do a routine examination of the stools.

We are confident that this routine has materially decreased our risk of admitting symptomless excretors, and have found many in this way who have not infected any other children. But I must stress that the figure of three is an arbitrary one, and is not a guaranteed method of picking up every case, as we have found positives after seven negatives have been obtained in an isolation hospital.

The essentials are a convenient and co-operative bacteriology laboratory, stools, *not* anal swabs which too easily in practice are peri-anal swabs, and an efficient system of getting the stool in good condition to the laboratory.

We come now to the vexed question of what constitutes an abnormal stool. Here we have to steer a middle course between unnecessary caution and gay abandon. In residential nurseries, with laboratory access, I think every loose stool should be sent to the laboratory. Elsewhere loose stools should be reported and the decision left to matron or the family doctor or visiting medical officer whether the child is to be excluded or isolated and whether bacteriology is necessary. Clearly we do not want to see lurking in every gastric indiscretion of childhood a Sonne epidemic.

Next we have to provide an environment which limits spread to a minimum. With staff who have not received a nursing training this can only be achieved by patient training, strict technique and explanation of the principles involved. From our knowledge of the organism and the mode of spread, we see that changing of napkins, potting and in older children the use of the lavatory are the key points. Washbasins with hot water, soap and nailbrush and preferably paper towels readily available, a strict routine for the disposal of soiled napkins, the meticulous boiling of properly designed pots, all these are essentials in a routine with which nurses are more familiar than I am.

For the older children, and adults too, warm, dry, well lit and well ventilated lavatories, with easily disinfected hard plastic seats and chain handles, are clearly essential—with nearby washing facilities, and no reliance on medicated toilet papers. The dark dismal lavatories of some of the older schools and institutions, and the lavatory serving several families in tenement or row of back-to-back cottages, clearly provide an ideal reservoir for Sonne.

It is to our credit to detect the isolated case in our communities, but the rapid spread through ward, nursery, school or family should be an urgent signal for a very careful examination of the methods of hygiene used.

Most residential units, particularly with young babies, lack the facilities for isolation and strict barrier nursing. Here I believe the right place for the ill child or symptomless carrier is hospital. Outside, most children can be looked after at home, and only the really ill, dehydrated child need be sent to hospital for the life-saving measure of intravenous or subcutaneous fluid therapy. Like most residential nurseries, we hate sending our children away, and are just as conscious as the psychologists that sick children are happier with those they know and love. But I believe the risk to very young babies is still too great unless complete isolation can be achieved. This usually means extra and different staff anyway, and they might just as well be with hospital staff in a properly equipped hospital.

Drug Therapy

On drug therapy, the answer lies with the sensitivity of the strain responsible. In London I believe it is rare to find strains of Sonne sensitive to sulphonamides today, and indeed my very first outbreak of Sonne at our nursery in 1948 was completely untouched by sulphasuxidine. More and more often streptomycin or the tetracyclines are necessary in London. But the decision on treatment must of course be left to the medical officer on the spot, and in most cases he will readily obtain information on the sensitivity of the particular strain involved in the outbreak from the bacteriologist.

In conclusion, Sonne dysentery, while very much less fatal than it was, is a growing menace to the healthy, happy development of our children. At its mildest it is a debilitating illness which pulls a child or baby down and takes many weeks for full recovery. At its worst it still kills our babies—and as long as one baby in 200, or 2,000, dies from Sonne dysentery it must command our attention and demand all our efforts to reduce it to an absolute minimum in the children in our care and the community as a whole.

For Occupational Health Nurses

DR. R. S. F. Schilling, reader in occupational health, London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, gave the inaugural lecture on ' Medical and Nursing Service to Industry ' at the annual refresher course for occupational health nurses which opened in London on November 23 at the Royal College of Nursing. Saying that theirs was a unique opportunity to help people and that it was important for the nurse as for the doctor in industry to ' sit and listen ' when employees came to consult them, Dr. Schilling also spoke of the importance of ' looking at people '. In earlier times the emphasis had been on environmental control through factory legisation, but merely to manipulate the environment was not enough. Even today doctors and engineers were not working as closely together as they might to set ' permissible standards ' of safety and health through combined biological and engineering investigations. Finally, Dr. Schilling discussed some of the ethical points that may arise in industrial worker/employer/doctor and nurse relationships. His wise and understanding counsel was listened to with very real appreciation by about 60 nurses from industrial establishments in many parts of the country. Dr. Schilling, who was introduced by Mrs. B. A. Bennett, O.B.E., principal nursing officer, Ministry of Labour and National Service, was thanked by Miss P. F. Morris, British Electric Co. Ltd., Stafford, for his lecture. Saturday was devoted to a symposium of talks on the development of the British railway system and its medical services. Lectures, visits and demonstrations throughout the following week were based on National Insurance matters, human relations in industry and the control of industrial disease. Interesting discussions followed each lecture and the contributions of the participants added materially to the value of the planned study programme.

In Every Land . . .

A missionary afternoon was a great treat when, in more tender years, I would march proudly to Sunday School along with other rosy-cheeked, shiny-shoed infants, clutching my Bible and penny for the collection. In awe we would watch the kindly-faced lady (it was invariably a lady who was invariably frail and aged to our youthful eyes), put on richly embroidered kimonos or beautiful silk saris for our delight. We would be highly amused when she spoke one or two Chinese sentences and showed us on huge pieces of paper the quaint brush-painted symbols. Afterwards we would gather round and gaze at her treasures lying temptingly on the table—chopsticks, ivory elephants, gold bangles, beads, silver sandals, carved boxes, wooden dolls—and think how nice it would be to be a missionary.

Today, although the all-demanding, self-sacrificing work is still there, the physical dangers are fewer and the path smoother at this end of the story of missionaries.

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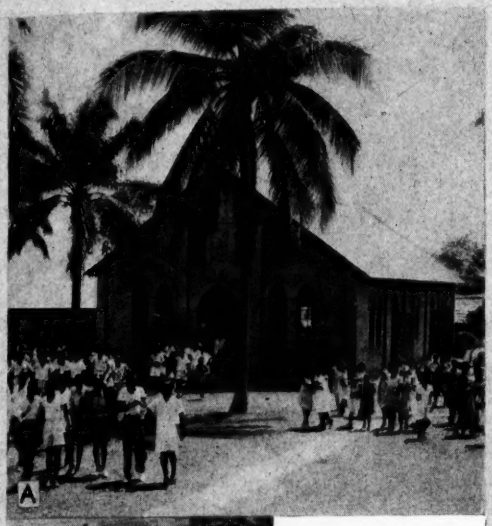
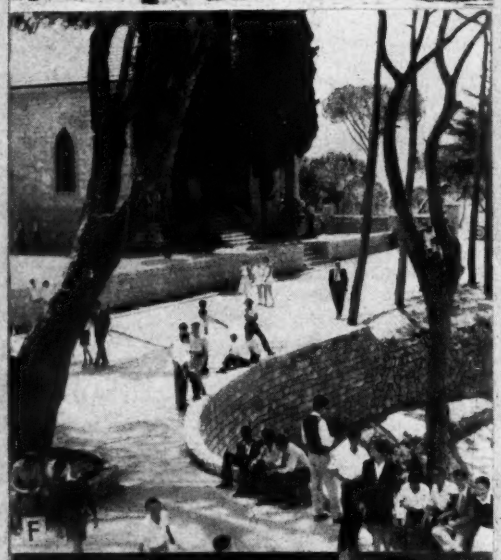


A. *Leaving the school chapel at Léopoldville, Belgian Congo.*

B. *Miss Lim Poh Suan helps blind girls with ironing in the new laundry at St. Nicholas' Blind School, Penang.*

C. *Prospective patients await the arrival of the doctor at the eye camp at the Lutheran Mission, Puttur.*

D. *Dr. Schweitzer at Lambaréné after repairing the pump—his special responsibility.*



" . . . go ye into all the world . . . preach the gospel to every

did, as a river, make its own banks fertile and pleasant as it ran by, and flowed still forward to after ages, and by the confluence of more such prophecies, grew greater as it went . . ." wrote Leighton, in about 1650, of the Apostles and the Prophets. But the very first missionary was Abraham, the first man through whom God adopted the policy of separating the church from the world.

The first missionary call came about 400 years after the Flood, when Abraham's family, the Shemite family of Terah, was settled among the Hamitic tribes of the coast of the Persian Gulf. Idolatry was rife. "Get thee out of thy country, and from thy kindred . . . unto a land that I will show thee." After long wanderings Abraham came to his promised land—a land of more idolatry and cruel human sacrifice, and became the founder of the circumcised Jewish race, making Palestine, which is the chief gate between East and West, South and North, a great missionary centre.

Through the Old Testament, the New Testament, and in our history books, we can read the troubled story of the spread of Christianity throughout the civilized world. In accepting Christianity, people accepted the responsibility of passing on their knowledge of God. What if the heathens who lived in their dirt and ignorance in the deep jungles of Africa, in the poverty and decay of China, were hundreds or thousands of miles away, dangerous or apathetic; they were all brothers and sisters in the family of Christ, and it was imperative that they too, should have the knowledge of a new life.

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... world and preach every creature . . . "

As soon as Britain had Christianity she sent out missionaries; one of the earliest was St. Patrick (A.D. 395-493), who became the Apostle of Ireland. The missions of today are spread in many parts of the world.

The Pilgrim Fathers were the first Puritans, afterward Nonconformists, to venture abroad, sailing in 1620, in the *Mayflower*, for New Plymouth on the coast of Massachussetts, and though not intending missionaries, lost no time in converting the Red Indians. In 1660 John Eliot baptized and admitted to the Lord's Supper the first Red Indians, who afterwards formed a church at Natick 18 miles from Boston.

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In 1792 in a little parlour of a small white house in Kettering, with 12 subscribers of £13 2s. 6d. the **Baptist Missionary Society** was formed. A 26-year-old one-time shoemaker's apprentice, William Carey, became the Society's first foreign missionary. The following year Carey left for Bengal, where the seashore is fringed by the Sunderban Forest, a waste of slimy mud out of which grow distorted-looking trees, where crocodiles lurk, climbing fish flop over the mud and climb the trees, while in the deeper jungles stalk the tigers. It was here Carey suffered terrible hardships and losses. But his dearly won success became the inspiration of many other missions and missionaries to come.

In India today, and Pakistan, the way has been paved by the toil of those pioneer missionaries. Nevertheless, there is still great need and great work for missionaries. Illiteracy is commonplace and even if a

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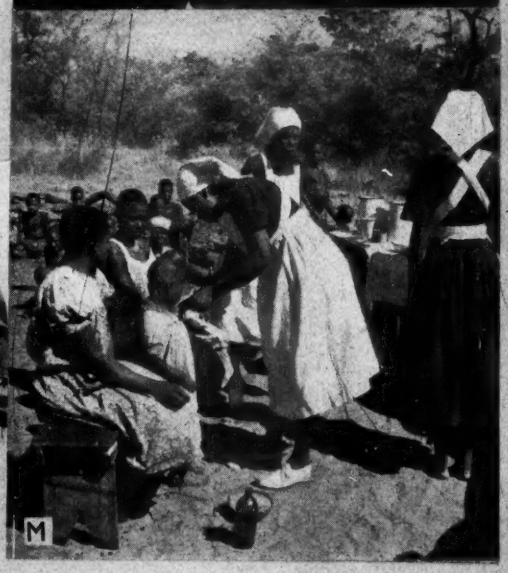

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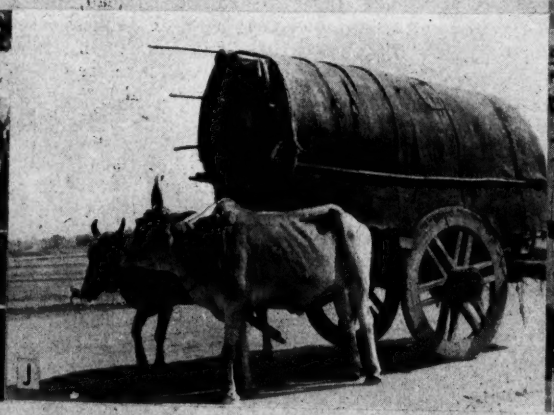

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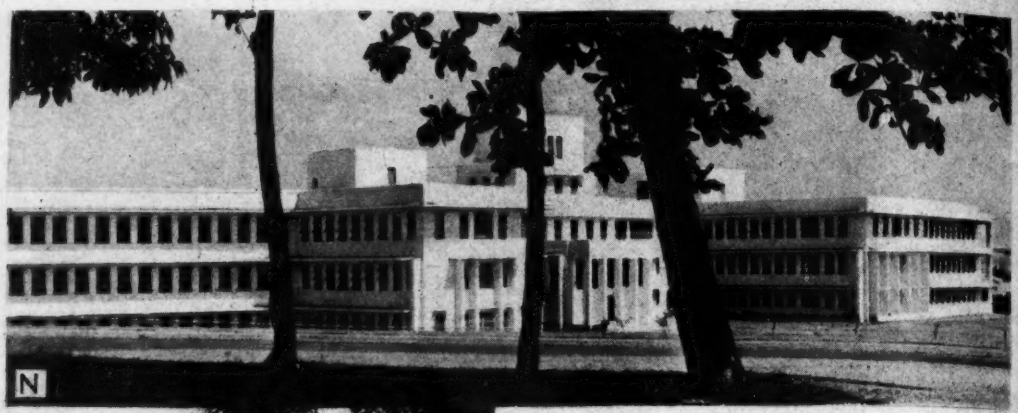

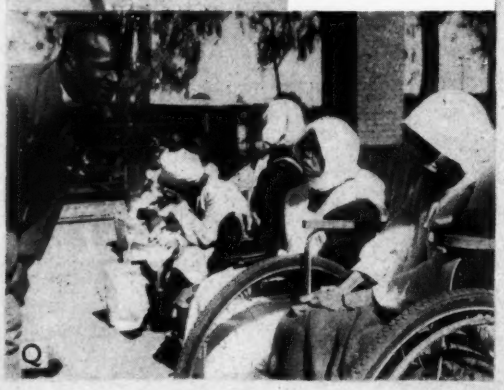

N. *Our Lady of Coromoto Hospital, Venezuela, undertaken in March 1951 by the Medical Mission Sisters.*

O. *The new building in Cologne, in which the Open Door Youth Club is housed.*

P. *A woman preparing food in Bengal.*

Q. *Father Semenya talking to patients at the Westfort Leper Institution.*

group of natives come to believe in Christ through the spoken word and have since formed a church fellowship in their village, the growth of the church will be stunted if they have to rely on infrequent visits from a pastor or teacher to learn more of the Bible. It is useless, too, to distribute simple books on hygiene and baby care, prevention of disease or the raising of crops, if the print can convey nothing to the people. One method of attracting the attention of illiterate villagers is to give puppet shows of little scenes from everyday life—the first step towards making them want to read.

Most of the native diseases which bring suffering and death are preventable and the teaching of simple health rules by precept and example is proving successful. The 'learning by looking' method is coming into increasing use; hygiene cartoons and short sketches with touches of humour are presented to villagers, schoolchildren and church groups. And so the medical missionary work is closely bound with literacy work.

The Baptist Missionary Society is also at work in Africa, Jamaica, Trinidad, Malaya, Hong Kong, with a recent pioneering mission in South Brazil. In these missionary centres, too, there are now facilities for training medical personnel of many kinds and grades. The aims of those who teach the doctors, nurses and midwives in the Christian hospitals are to train the students in their own profession, while seeking to lead them to a belief in Christ and to recognize that only in Him will their patients' deepest needs be met.

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The **Society for the Propagation of the Gospel** was incorporated by Royal

Charter in 1701 " for the religious instruction of the Queen's subjects beyond the seas; for the maintenance of clergymen in the plantations, colonies, and factories of Great Britain, and for the propagation of the gospel in those parts." It sent George Keith to Boston, U.S.A. in 1702 and today supports 44 dioceses throughout the world, from the sugar plantations of the Polynesian Islands, the mixed populations of British, Dutch and French Guiana (with the priesting in 1950 of the first aboriginal Indian of the Arawak tribe and in 1953 of the first Chinese priest), to Pretoria with its colour problems and the difficulties facing missionaries in Singapore.

A very pressing need, which is common, of course, to all missions, is more financial help and more doctors and nurses. The Medical Missions of the S.P.G. supports 34 hospitals and 10 dispensaries in India, Burma, Singapore and South Africa. For example in Nqutu, in a remote part of Zululand, malnutrition and tuberculosis cause much illness among a people whose diet is gravely deficient in protein fat and other vitamins. Dark, unventilated huts are the usual habitation and a victim of tuberculosis sleeping in a hut can infect the whole family. The Charles Johnson Memorial Hospital there works with the Natal Health Department against the disease.

Batlharos, which is in the Society's diocese of Kimberley and Kuruman, is situated on the edge of the Kalahari Desert. Its people are the Bechuanas who live in picturesque thatched huts. The prevalent diseases here are tuberculosis and syphilis. Patients for the St. Michael Hospital arrive in little springless, hooded, two-wheeled carts, the local means of transport—or perhaps they walk. Eggs and wheat are sometimes offered as fees for treatment, and the highest fee ever paid is 4s. a day. Most pay according to their means; some can contribute nothing.

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Another interesting society, which although it originated in the United States has centres in Great Britain, is the **Medical Mission Sisters**—a Roman Catholic society of women " exclusively dedicated to bring professional care to the sick in the foreign mission fields ".

Before the Society was formed in 1925 the care of the sick was in the hands of religious sisterhoods, who in those days were not allowed to study and practise medicine, surgery or obstetrics. In India, especially, where religious laws and customs among Mohammedans and higher caste Hindu women decreed that women could not be seen by men except those of their own household, but should remain in purdah, women doctors were badly wanted. The women would die rather than be examined by a male doctor. Being so confined the women did not get proper exercise and sunshine, and terrible pelvic malformations resulted with consequent complications at childbirth; the inadequate care of these caused appalling infant and maternal mortality and morbidity, as unfortunately is still the case to some extent today.

At the beginning of the 20th century Dr. Agnes McLaren, having heard stories of the unrelieved sufferings of the purdah women, realized that no one could help them except women doctors; she formed a society which collected enough funds to open a bungalow hospital with 16 beds in Rawalpindi. But the problem was how to find the staff. The nursing could be done by the religious sisters, but what about doctors ? Lay doctors were hard to find and the Sisters still could not practise surgery and obstetrics. Dr. McLaren decided that she must alter this; permission, however, had to come from the Pope. She accordingly went to Rome. Not once, but five times—and all in vain. Dr. McLaren died in 1913.

Her life and work, however, had influenced a young girl from Tyrol, Anna Dengel, who later qualified as a doctor and worked for some years in India. She returned to Europe to arouse interest in the medical work in India, and with much discussion and persistent effort, formed the Society of Catholic Medical Missionaries, which was to be a religious community of women trained professionally for all types of medical work in the missions. To avoid infringing the article of Canon Law of Sisters being forbidden to practise medicine, the privilege of public vows was to be sacrificed. The work went swiftly ahead and unexpected approval for the Sisters to practise surgery and obstetrics was given by Pope Pius XI in 1936.

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In Dacca, in the space of 10 years, infant mortality decreased by 33 per cent. and the work extended to include nursing and training in a 300-bed government hospital. Not only did the Sisters organize the training school and set the standard, but they translated nursing textbooks into the Bengali language. Their work, too, has spread to many parts of the world and includes missions in South America and the Southern United States.

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Then there is the great Congregationalist **London Missionary Society** which, formed in 1795, won great successes in Africa through Robert and Mary Moffat and their son-in-law David Livingstone, whose work gave an impetus which resulted after his death in 1873 in the opening up of inner Africa. The London Missionary Society today is also working all over the world.

In Papua women have always been the burden bearers and any training provided for men and boys has been denied to girls and women, Since the war, however, high schools have begun to be established; scholarships are available for several children each year to enter schools in Australia. Papuans can now receive recognized training in various trades, crafts and professions. Women are eligible for election as village councillors and a few women deacons have been appointed in the Church.

In 1952 nursing training was encouraged and a missionary, Miss Martin, was appointed to Lawes College Hospital at Fife Bay, the L.M.S. training centre for the Papuan ministry. It was Miss Martin's job to teach the wives of the students there how to care for the health of the village community. Realizing the possibility of running, with this teaching, a nursing training for girls before marriage, Miss Martin submitted a syllabus which was readily accepted by the Administration.

Six local girls, whose equipment, uniforms, rations and a small salary, were to be supplied by the government, were the first to begin. They arrived in grass skirts, carrying their mats with their blankets rolled up inside, on their heads. And it was a great occasion when in May 1955 three of the original six girls sat for the government nursing examination and all were successful.

Two months later the first service to be held in the newly built church at Suau was a nurses' presentation ceremony, with the 12 nurses from Fife Bay present.

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The **Methodist Missionary Society** began its medical work when in 1865 a small Chinese house was rented in Hangkow, and it has continued its work in other parts of the world (China of, course, being almost inaccessible today). In Ilesha, Western Nigeria, for

example, they have moved from the old bush hospital of 30 years ago to a new hillside site with electric light, running water, water-borne sanitation, and steam sterilization; there are three doctors, four missionary nurses, and a staff of 75 African student nurses. New successful treatment with dapsone has changed the problem of leprosy in Uzuakoli. The patients no longer have to resign themselves to life-long segregation, and large numbers are treated as outpatients.

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The Zenana Bible and Medical Mission is an evangelical and interdenominational society which has worked for over a hundred years among women and children of India and Pakistan. In addition to other ventures the mission has a share in four large co-operative institutions for the training of national doctors, nurses, teachers and evangelists. But today there is need to advance and develop on more general lines, for there is still boundless opportunity there.

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And still there are many other missions and missionaries. There is the big Christian Medical College and hospital at Vellore, South India, a great international medical centre supported by 39 missionary boards of four continents—**The Friends of Vellore.** There are about 275 men and women students from all over India and Pakistan, and the school of nursing with its 230-odd students trains the nurses to the certificate, B.SC. and postgraduate (sister tutor) standards. The aim of Vellore is to train students in a high standard of professional ability but also in an ideal of true Christian service.

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Some men and women have not linked themselves with any missionary society but have gone alone to the parts of the world where they felt they were needed most. Through the years some such people have come to the public notice—some have not. One famous example is that of Albert Schweitzer who gave up fame and his music and a rewarding life at home to spend his life among the lepers in French Equatorial Africa—as, indeed, he is still doing. Another recent pair of venturers are Guy Clutton-Brock and his wife who went to St. Faith's in Southern Rhodesia and are doing social work and teaching the people how to cultivate their 10,000 acres of farming land and how to take up their proper social responsibilities.

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The Quakers, too, are working in many parts of the world, among displaced people in South Korea, Kenya and Germany, in international work camps for young people, and in many other missionary enterprises. **The Society of Friends** is helping in Indian rural development. Rasulia in Madhya Pradesh, one of two village schemes, is no longer an isolated colony, but a real centre of village development work; the community is finding a new sense of purpose; it is not merely a demonstration centre for agriculture, health and education, but a centre for training in such village crafts as iron forging, carpentry, weaving and pottery. It is hoped that in time a rural development library and research centre will be established. After two years of concentrated effort the Society believes that there are signs of a real awakening among the people which is a slow realization that the time has come to make the village a better place to live in, and to provide better things for their children than they themselves have known.

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This is a cheering note upon which to conclude. For although only a few societies have been mentioned, one can appreciate the great work, emanating from the pioneering of great men and women, which is being carried on today but which still needs the interest and support of us all.

And particularly at Christmas each year, we spare a thought for those men and women on distant mission fields—and perhaps a prayer.

J. E.

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In Hospital in Hungary

—A PATIENT'S EYE-VIEW

IF there should be nurses, doctors and medical students among the refugees coming from Hungary to this country, most of them will be well-equipped and eager to experience life in England. During my four years in pre-war Hungary I was happy (strange as it may sound) to spend three short spells in different hospitals. They were happy times in spite of illness because I realized how much England was Hungary's most favoured nation. Geography and economics were forcing her into alliance with Germany at that time but it was the English that everybody liked and it was as an Englishwoman that I was sought, spoilt and entertained.

German was the 'bread and butter' second language but everyone was learning English and everyone, nurses, doctors, students, maids, cooks, patients, wanted to try it out on me so that I was never short of visitors or conversation. I was in a surgical ward with a septic boil between the eyes which turned me into a good resemblance to a baboon. The nurses would ask me whether I would like to have breakfast on the balcony sitting, as they put it, 'on the sun'. The surgeon who had been for a study tour in England told me how much he had admired the 'middle-aged toms' in Canterbury. At first I thought he was a fellow cat-lover but then realized that our common ground was history not cats and that he was talking about the mediaeval tombs.

I learnt to speak and understand this brand of Magyarised English to such effect that I was congratulated on my return home on having learnt the language so well.

Many Hungarian hospitals are run by religious bodies, and I was in two Catholic hospitals and a Jewish one. In the last more German was spoken but, as I had a tonsillectomy there, I found it very painful to deal with the gutterals and had to resort to my Magyar English. I experienced a small religious difficulty here, soon cleared up by kindness. I found it difficult to open my mouth wide enough to take a soup spoon at my first meat meal (after some days of an imaginatively varied ice-cream diet—there was even tomato ice-cream) and asked for a teaspoon. Teaspoons, it seems, were reserved for milk dishes and must not touch anything prepared with meat, but they went out and bought one specially for me and kept it in my locker.

More operations seem to be performed with local anaesthetics in Hungary, appendix and tonsil operations habitually so, and I was able to watch the whole procedure while sitting up and co-operatively holding a basin. The surgeon talked to me all the time in a soothing brand of English, but he had the conversational advantage that every dentist has: I could not answer him back when he told me how it couldn't possibly be hurting at all.

My third hospital was again a Catholic one, and I was there for a longer time including a beautiful and memorable Christmas. I was sufficiently mobile by that time to be drawn to the children's ward, as everyone is at Christmas-time. The pattern of Christmas for the Hungarian child was a little different

from our own. Father Christmas goes back to his rightful place as St. Nicholas who comes on December 6 to fill small shoes with sweets, chocolates and new coins. On Christmas Eve the crib is there with Mary and Joseph and all the farm animals, but no baby yet in the manger straw.

On Christmas morning the children wake to find that Baby Jesus has arrived, bringing presents to be found under the gaudy Christmas tree. The cook, a peasant girl from Szarkas-fö, spoke of the little Jesus lovingly and familiarly as though He were her own small nephew. Carols are sung round the candle-lit tree through the whole 12 days of Christmas, after which it disappears overnight as miraculously as it arrived.

There were a few interesting differences a patient could notice between English and Hungarian hospitals. Doctors and students seemed to do quite a lot of the jobs which nurses carry out here, such things as dressings, charts and routine treatments. Nobody ever seemed to be in a hurry—but that was a happy characteristic of Hungarian life in general at that time—and there was an informal, family atmosphere in the wards, perhaps because there were fewer patients and they seemed to stay longer, having a variety of slow, conservative treatments, packs, healing baths and the like. Budapest is a city of spas and seems to have wells and baths with many curative uses.

The 'favourite' diseases were undoubtedly those of the digestive tract, which is not at all surprising to anyone who has enjoyed the rich variety and plenty of Hungarian food at that time. Five square meals a day were usual and it was hard on the guest with a small appetite because, while courtesy dictated that a hostess should ply him with delicious things, courtesy equally dictated that they must never be refused.

Those happy days were a war and two revolutions ago, and anyone who knew the kindly, hospitable, Anglophile Hungarians of that remote world will grieve for them now. Anyone who experienced the way the magic word *angol* (English) brought smiles of welcome to Hungarians' faces will be glad that England is extending hospitality to Magyars in their dark days. From my happy experiences as a patient I am sure that English nurses will find Hungarians good colleagues and charming companions in hospital wards and nurses homes.

SARAH FRENCH.

THE CHRISTMAS STORY

presented by patients at a mental hospital

LAST year, a group of patients at Cane Hill Hospital, Coulsdon, Surrey, produced a Christmas play which was such a success that it was decided to repeat the experiment this year—especially in view of the excellent therapeutic effect among patients induced by the essential teamwork, co-operation and 'give and take' which are pre-requisites of any dramatic production.

This year's 'Christmas Story' is a song and tableau rendering of the Nativity, the Adoration of the Shepherds and the bringing of the gifts by the Wise Men of the East. The costumes and properties have all been borrowed or made in different departments of the hospital, with much ingenuity and economy in outlay; the lambs carried by the shepherds were made in the occupational therapy department, the costumes were made up in the sewing room, and the patients' upholstery department made the felt sandals; crowns for the 'Three Kings of the Orient' were designed and made in the art therapy department, and obligingly backed with stiffened muslin in the upholstery department.

Everyone will realize what qualities of tact, patience, perseverance and hard work are needed in the producer in the circumstances, and Miss K. A. Wimpress, the lay warden of the nurses home, who has been responsible for the whole production, has had many difficulties to overcome, and has had her troupe rehearsing regularly since mid-September. The result, however, amply justifies all the hard work on everyone's part which has gone into the production.

Miss Wimpress has chosen some 10 of the well-known Christmas carols, which are sung by the cast, interspersed by passages read (or recited) by individual men and women, from the Knox Version of the Bible. These passages have a haunting familiarity, but challenge and intrigue the listener by their difference in words and phrasing from those of the usual 'Nine Lessons', making one more conscious of the poetry and beauty of the familiar story. The quality of the voices in the singing of the carols is excellent, and the cast is fortunate in having as soloist a young girl patient with a delightful soprano voice.

The music is supplied by the hospital's voluntary organist, Mr. F. Oxtoby, and Miss Wimpress, herself in costume, unobtrusively conducts the singing.

The players enter in procession from the back of the hall, singing *Once in Royal David's City*, carrying shepherds' crooks, newborn lambs, or lighted lanterns; they wear flowing robes and head-dresses and the effect is richly colourful but mysterious as they advance slowly up the dimly lit hall. Mounting the stage, the players quietly and with unhurried dignity form themselves into an effective group. After the alternating carols and recited passages have been completed, the curtain is lowered for a few moments to rise again on the Nativity scene, which is exquisite. The part of Mary was to have been taken by a young patient, but she recovered enough, when rehearsals were well advanced, to be transferred to aftercare, and as it was impossible to rehearse another patient sufficiently in the time, this part was beautifully presented by a student nurse. Four other student nurses, representing England, Scotland, Ireland and Wales, and several patients in ordinary clothes, file in to make their obeisance at the manger, forming a link with the present day, and as a reminder of the eternal appeal of the nearly 2,000-year-old Christmas story.

The tableau is, perhaps, the climax of the performance, for apart from its visual beauty, the cast succeed in infusing a true atmosphere of religious devotion, even mysticism, into the familiar scene.

After the first performance for patients, staff and friends at the hospital, repeat performances will be given at two other mental hospitals — Warlingham Park, and St. Lawrence's, Caterham. They are assured of a good reception.

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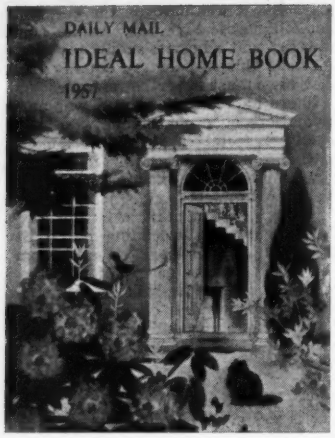
Above: *'Hark the herald angels sing . . .'*

Left: *The Nativity scene, as the climax to 'The Christmas Story'.*

More Books for Christmas



IDEAL HOME BOOK (*Daily Mail*) *1957.* (*Daily Mail, 16s.*)

This is a handsome book, extremely attractively produced and illustrated, and would be eagerly pounced upon by anyone interested in home-making or home improvement. Conversion schemes for all kinds of properties, from a 15th century Sussex manor to a Cornish cottage—and even an old coach house—are described and pictured, showing that charming and convenient modern homes can be born from most unpromising beginnings. The many colour photographs are beautiful, giving a good idea of modern trends in colour blending, and there are many good ideas on a less ambitious scale (such as the breakfast bar installed in a pocket-size flat kitchen—like a miniature snack bar, from which any world's worker could have a quick breakfast with the minimum of trouble).

Home equipment, the latest designs in china, accessories, etc., are also illustrated and discussed, and there are a number of well presented articles of more general interest, such as those on 'Keeping House in Paris'; 'At Your Garden Window', or 'Journey into Austria'. An ideal gift—especially for a colleague about to retire, or for friends living out of hospital.

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THE CHRISTMAS DRAMATIC BOOK, edited by G. H. Holroyd. (*Macmillan, 9s. 6d.*)

A book full of poems, plays, carols and other material—all with a highly Christmas flavour. In large, clear print with illustrations, it is a thoughtful gift for someone interested in producing plays in day or Sunday schools. Much of the selection adults, too, would enjoy reading, for the choice is wide, ranging from comedy and whimsy to serious drama.

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WINTER'S TALES—2. (*Macmillan 16s.*)

There is an abstract quality about this second volume of short stories which may leave readers wishing for some sign of greater human warmth to match the season. But there is fascination, too, at the development of unusual situations in which strange fates are meted out to some of the characters; others are more elusive and tend to fade out.

Rumer Godden's young Indian student, the husband and wife in Olivia Manning's love triangle and Mary Clive's pair of platonists have this elusive quality—yet all are real people. The disembodied heroine of Muriel Spark's macabre story is in a class by herself and Gabriel Fielding writes vividly of a group of children at the seaside. There is a refreshing, gentle irony in William Plomer's picture of a 'prog' family behaving at Christmas "so much more like Christians than they suspected", while J. D. Scott's hero meets a cruel revenge as 'Favourite Author'. These and the rest of the dozen stories by known and less known writers make for interesting if somewhat ephemeral reading.

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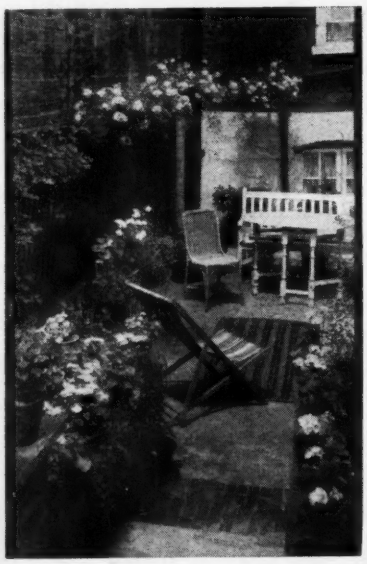
AMATEUR GARDENING PICTURE BOOK OF GARDENS, by A. G. L. Hellyer, F.L.S. (*Collingridge, 12s. 6d*).

The exile, the invalid, and the novice-gardener, for whom it is intended, will all enjoy for different reasons this album of 70 full-page plates, each designed to illustrate some principle of garden making. The more experienced would prefer to know as well where the gardens are, the aspect, the soil and some of the species, but they also can learn much—about paths and prospects, the formal and informal treatment of gardens at different levels, the part that trees and water and walls can play in design, and what can be done with troughs and hanging baskets in a city backyard.

These are but a few of the many features illustrated in a book which it is hoped will supplement the 'live' experience gained by visits to gardens open to the public during the year, a practice strongly recommended to the amateur gardener in the informative introduction.



From the 'Amateur Gardening Picture Book of Gardens'.

THE SAINTMAKER'S CHRISTMAS EVE, by Paul Horgan. (*Macmillan 10s. 6d.*)

Having learned their craft as makers of images of saints from an itinerant Franciscan priest who visited their village in northern New Mexico when they were youths, the brothers Castillo—Roberto and Carlos—went on making saints for a living. These they sold to churches in neighbouring settlements and so became the most successful men of their village.

One Christmas Eve Roberto, out with his pack-mule, had only one image left to deliver—a St. Christopher, which he had promised to his patrons in time for the festival at their village of San Cristobal—when a raging snowstorm overtook him and by nightfall he had lost his way. How man and beast had well-nigh been defeated by the cruel elements when St. Christopher himself, appearing as a figure of light bearing the Christ child, guided both them and the now old Franciscan father safely to San Cristobal in time for the midnight Mass, is sensitively told. A century later images made by the two brothers had become rare collectors' pieces and the famous St. Christopher was lost. Fritz Wegner's illustrations and jacket design notably enhance this attractive gift book.

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CONQUEST OF DISABILITY, edited by Sir Ian Fraser. (*Odhams, 15s.*)

"The aim of every disabled person is to be completely independent. If you have achieved that, you have achieved normality." These words in Douglas Bader's chapter 'I am going to Walk' are typical of the spirit that suffuses a collection of personal stories of courage in adapting to severe physical handicaps, showing that what we now call 'rehabilitation' is no new thing. But as Sir Ian Fraser points out in his thoughtful preface, "it is only in comparatively recent times that public opinion generally has recognized the advantage to the community as well as to the individual of making the utmost use of disabled people" and for this we may be thankful.

There are some unexpected names among the contributors to this remarkable book—as well as many one looks for. St. John Ervine, who lost a leg on the Western Front in 1918, rising despite almost incessant pain to the top of his profession as a writer and journalist; Collie Knox—another successful yet handicapped writer; Lis Hartel, the famous horsewoman who having had severe polio in 1944 won second place in the dressage at Helsinki in the 1952 Olympic Games.

These in Sir Ian's words are among "a small group of people who have been lucky or talented above the average". Their book has been written to help the thousands of disabled people—the deaf and the blind among them—"whose activities do not hit the headlines"; it includes an interesting chapter on the work at Stoke Mandeville

Spinal Injuries Centre by its medical director, Dr. Ludwig Guttmann, with personal stories from two of the patients there.

There will be a few among the able-bodied readers of this book who will not feel deep thankfulness at such courage—sustained as so often admitted by a deep religious faith or philosophy and supported by understanding and helpful companionship.

For Children

From 'The Bookshop on the Quay'.

THE BOOKSHOP ON THE QUAY, by Patricia Lynch. (*Dent, 11s. 6d.*)

Shane Madden, a young orphan who has run away from his home, is searching for his Uncle Tim—his romantic but unreliable hero. How he meets up with the happy, comfortable O'Cleary family and their bookshop in Dublin Bay and succeeds in his search is the main theme of this realistic and vividly written book, wrapped in Dublin atmosphere.

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TALES FROM SHAKESPEARE, by Charles and Mary Lamb. (*Ward, Lock, 4s.*)

The dramatic stories of 13 of Shakespeare's best-known plays, as told by Charles and Mary Lamb, are an excellent gift for any child. This volume in the Royal Series of famous children's classics, although it only costs 4s., is bound in a light blue cover with a gay jacket showing Oberon bewitching Titania. The *Tales* need no introduction and the charm of the telling has lost nothing through the years. It is only sad that Charles and Mary Lamb are not introduced in any way to the young readers for whom they had such a deep affection. The preface, when the *Tales* were first published in 1807, expressed the hope that the abridgements, "if they be fortunately so done as to prove delightful" would create the wish to be old enough to be allowed to read the plays—enrichers of the fancy, strengtheners of virtue, teaching courtesy, benignity, generosity and humanity.

The present volume opens with *Hamlet*—that noble and loving prince—and concludes with *Romeo and Juliet*. What pleasure in store for the bookworm child, or for the grown-up reader-aloud.

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THE PATCHWORK QUILT, by Barbara Sleigh. (*Max Parrish, 9s. 6d.*)

Quite an enthralling story which will appeal to girls of about 10 to 12 years; Barbara Sleigh was the author of *Carbonel*, serialized on the B.B.C. and chosen as a 'Young Elizabethan' Book of the Month; she writes freshly and sympathetically, and her child characters are of real flesh and blood. There is mystery and excitement in the story of the patchwork quilt—which is the key to 'hidden treasure' forming an unusual bequest from an eccentric old invalid to one of the family of children around whose doings the story is woven.

The excitement is well sustained, so that the young reader is kept agog to know 'what happened next'. A good choice for Christmas.

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THE PARADISE PULLMAN, by Andrew Wood. (*Max Parrish, 9s. 6d.*)

Set in the days of 'flying machines' and the early days of railways, this book is full of kidnappers, sea drama, escaped prisoners, and unscrupulous rivals, all centring round the Great Quigley and Toddlepool Railway and adding up to an exciting adventure story.

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SALLY'S WONDERFUL SUMMER, by Ann Barry. (*Ward, Lock, 2s. 6d.*)

This is a delightful story for any little girl who is fond of animals, especially horses.

Sally lived her early childhood days in the town but on moving into the country because of her father's ill-health she found new and undreamed of adventures. Her family were not rich and could not afford the pony she badly wanted, so she began to save. Sally tried so hard to earn a little money by helping on her uncle's farm but everything went wrong until one day she crept, unbeknown to anyone, into the loose box of her uncle's mare and found Star.

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THE STRANGE STORY OF PIPPIN WOOD, by Irene Byers. (*Max Parrish, 9s. 6d.*)

A most charmingly written book for the older child. Suspense, mystery and surprise run through the whole story.

Jeremy, an orphan, whose father was a puppeteer, left his relatives to follow his father's profession and seek help from a former friend, a famous puppeteer. While travelling in the night on his cycle he decides to rest in a wood and he chances to come across a deserted theatre in the middle of it. It is here that his adventures begin with his new friends the Ainsworth family, Fenella, and his faithful friend Mr. Pinelli. They stumble on clues of the mystery that brought tragedy to the famous star Justin Protheroe, Fenella's grandfather. This book keeps the reader guessing to the last page and then ends with surprise.

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THE MYSTERY OF MISTY CREEK, by Rosemary Garland. (*Ward, Lock, 3s.*)

This book would capture a child's interest in the first page and keep it to the last. Mike and Mandy live on a houseboat on the coast; they always have exciting holidays but this one seemed to prove to be the most adventurous right from the first day when they find the Golden Cupid while fishing for a lost key. This Golden Cupid leads them to make two new friends and together they track down some wicked-looking men who appear to be smugglers in Misty Creek, a cave under a waterfall. Their adventures from then on are varied and written in vivid style.

This is a book that any child between the ages of 10 and 12 would love to have for Christmas.

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THE VISITING MOON, by Celia Furse, decorations by Charles Stewart. (*Faber, 21s.*)

Just the book at Christmas time for the little girl of today away from home, for Antonia, with Nanna and the baby, have to go to grandpapa's for Christmas, with a family of aunts and cousins and all. The scene is a late Victorian household with accepted order and security, nursery meals and the children's play. Written by the daughter of the late Sir Henry Newbolt, it creates the atmosphere of the period contrasted with the anticipations and excitements of a group of children. Each chapter is introduced by a charming decoration and an apt quotation.

Games

TIPS FROM THE TOP, compiled by Herbert Warren Wind, foreword by Bernard Darwin. (*Country Life, 25s.*)

Fifty-two illustrated golf lessons by 27 leading American professionals. As Herbert Warren Wind, the compiler of this handsome publication, says in his preface, discipline is required of the reader to go only for those tips which apply to his own game, but the first-rate illustrations and diagrams increase the temptation to try them all, also the lack of 'Dont's' makes it the more interesting. This would be a wonderful present for the golf enthusiast but for the beginner a rearrangement of the order would be more helpful.

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HOW I PLAY SNOOKER, by Joe Davis. (*Country Life, 15s.*)

There could be no greater exponent of the game of snooker than Joe Davis—world champion for 20 years—and his lucid explanations and thorough covering of his subject is a matter for congratulation. From the beginning, through all the intricate details of his own particular technique, finishing with the most advanced form of play, the wording is exceedingly clear, especially so as there are over 100 excellent photographs to amplify the reading matter.

For a new entrant into the field of snooker playing or for one who has followed the game over a period of time this book can be most strongly recommended, as with the help of its 174 pages the player will advance his skill tremendously to the satisfaction of both himself and the friends with whom he shares this art.

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Sunday Dispatch Book of Animals.—This book is published by the Sunday Dispatch and not as stated in our Christmas book review last week.

Letters to the Editor

Status of Tutors

MADAM.—May I say how heartily I endorse what is said in the article *The Status of Nurse Tutors* printed in the *Nursing Times* recently.

Salary and status in comparison with nurse administrators certainly need adjustment when one considers that the minimum training period for tutors is five years; and to teach the revised general nursing syllabus, surely a Part 1 Midwifery training is also an asset.

However, the hours of work and length of vacations are surely the most urgent matter. Under the latest Whitley Council conditions even any days off at Bank Holidays are to be considered as annual leave!

Any other profession recognizes the strain of teaching, and to be required to teach indefinitely for a 48-hour week with five weeks' annual leave would seem suicidal. Many advertisements even specify that the nurse tutor must be resident.

No wonder to many young sisters teaching is only a step on the ladder to administration. To those of us who remain as tutors, our only recompense at present is to be able to satisfy our interest in teaching, as well as our love of nursing.

COLLEGE MEMBER 62195.

Teaching Nursing

MADAM.—May I through the medium of your pages endorse the letter written by Miss G. Eve Collingwood in your issue of November 30.

This subject has, since the days of my own not far distant training, been one which I have always thought to be of the utmost importance both to the patient and to the nurse, and yet how often has the responsibility for all teaching been flung to and fro like a rubber ball—no one wishing to be caught with the ball in her hands.

With experience of the student nurse in the preliminary training school, and in the ward, it seems that the patient and student are equal sufferers in this game of chance.

I happened once to witness an incident which occurred in a male ward in a large provincial training school. The student nurse, who had recently passed out of the preliminary training school, was informed by the ward sister that "Nurse —— will show you a bladder washout." The nurse referred to was senior to her junior by a mere six months. "There's nothing in it", she said, "there's the trolley, and there's the stuff—" and off she went, apparently highly elated at having been instructed to carry out the role of instructor, and leaving her junior to do the rest! The student's training chart was later marked to indicate that she had been 'shown' a bladder washout.

Happenings such as these are surely to be deplored?

R. E. SAUMAREZ,
Sister, Preliminary Training School.

HEALTH CONGRESS APPOINTMENT.—The Royal Society of Health announces the election of Dr. Jean M. Mackintosh, administrative medical officer of health for Maternity and Child Welfare, Birmingham, as president of the Section devoted to the Health and Welfare of the Family at its annual health congress to be held at Folkestone from April 30 to May 3, 1957.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.—If you are writing a letter for publication in the *Nursing Times*, please give your name and address. These need not be published, but letters cannot be accepted if these details are not given.

From Our Belfast Correspondent

ONE of the most promising lines of investigation into the nature and treatment of poliomyelitis is at present being pursued at Queen's University, Belfast, under Professor G. W. A. Dick, professor of microbiology, and because of this special local interest it is fitting that a Northern Ireland Council of the National Fund for Poliomyelitis Research has now been established.

It was inaugurated at a public meeting in the City Hall, Belfast, presided over by the deputy Lord Mayor, Alderman R. C. H. Kinahan, and attended by Admiral Sir Charles Daniel, chairman of the National Fund, Mr. Duncan Guthrie, director of the Fund, Viscountess Brookeborough, president of the Northern Ireland Branch of the Infantile Paralysis Fellowship, and Professor Dick, as well as by a representative gathering of those connected with various medical and welfare organizations.

Professor Dick explained that he and his colleagues were endeavouring to perfect an oral vaccine that would give lifelong immunity to the disease and would on that account be superior to other vaccines developed in recent years. He did not think that they were yet in sight of that discovery and even when it was achieved the solution to the problem of poliomyelitis would not be found. It might just be the beginning of the story—a help to revealing the real nature of the disease and discovering why certain sufferers became paralysed and others sustained no ill effects. Their work was only possible because of the substantial grants that had been forthcoming from the National Fund. It seemed only right that Northern Ireland should contribute to that important fund.

Obituary

Miss O. M. Billinghurst

We record with deep regret the death of Miss Olive Margaret Billinghurst, S.R.N., a qualified sister tutor. Miss Billinghurst trained at the London Hospital, Whitechapel; during the First World War she served in the Q.A.I.M.N.S.R. in Malta. After her return she won a scholarship, given by the Royal College of Nursing, to King's College, where she took her Sister Tutor Diploma. She then took up the appointment as sister tutor at St. Charles' Hospital where she remained until her retirement in 1936. During the Second World War she arranged a first-aid post in her village and looked after evacuees from London in the village and in her own home.

Miss Billinghurst, an indefatigable worker, was an examiner for the General Nursing Council, a member of her Parish Council, president of the local Women's Institute and an elected member of the Redhill County Hospital Management Committee. A founder member of the Royal College of Nursing, Miss Billinghurst was an active member of the Redhill, Reigate and District Branch. She will be greatly missed and always remembered for her quiet sincerity and unassuming manner. Until this year the members of the Branch have always paid an annual visit to her charming cottage and garden where she entertained them most hospitably.

Miss A. I. Coward, A.R.R.C.

We announce with regret the death, on November 26, of Miss Amy Isobel Coward, A.R.R.C. After training at Guy's Hospital, Miss Coward was a sister at the County Hospital, Guildford, and matron of the Shepherd Home, Worthing. During the First World War she served as a sister in the T.F.N.S.—for the first year of the war in the 2nd Eastern General Hospital, and for the last four years in military hospitals in France, and was mentioned in Dispatches (signed by Sir Winston Churchill). On the formation of the Worthing and South-West Sussex Branch of the Royal College of Nursing in 1929, Miss Coward was elected chairman; she was a founder member of the Royal College of Nursing.

Miss F. M. Richards

We regret to announce the death, at the age of 83, of Miss Frances Maria Richards, in a Southampton nursing home. Miss Richards entered the East End Hospital for Children in 1895 but after six months had to discontinue her training as she contracted diphtheria. Later in that year, however, she took up her training again, at the Metropolitan Hospital, Kingsland Road, London, at that time run by religious sisters.

In 1896 she entered the Eastern Fever Hospital where she worked for two years. She then entered the Bristol Royal Infirmary, completed her three years' training and nursed on the 'private staff' of that hospital until 1912. Later she took up school nursing at Marlborough School, Taunton School and at the Quaker's co-education school at Sidecot where she was sister-in-charge and did her own dispensing.

In 1904 Miss Richards attended a reception at Buckingham Palace where over 1,000 nurses received their membership certificates of the Royal National Pension Fund for Nurses from Queen Alexandra, president of the fund. A colleague writes: "Miss Richards often spoke of the thrill of this day; she and one or two other nurses hired a hansom cab to drive to the Palace. She was a reader of the *Nursing Times* until the week before her death."

Miss Richards was a member of the Guild of St. Barnabas for Nurses, and a founder member of the Royal College of Nursing.

HERE and THERE

NEW WING FOR CANADIAN HOSPITAL

MANY of the very latest methods and ideas have been incorporated in the new 274-bed wing opened this year in a large Canadian hospital—the Royal Victorian Hospital, Montreal. An account in the International Hospital Federation's *Bulletin* (September) describes the two-way intercom. system so that patients can call and talk to nurses. There is a waiting-room for visitors on each floor; nurses' station and utility rooms are grouped in the centre of each ward unit; there is a teaching room, a consultation room and an information office on each floor.

The operating suite on the fifth floor consists of 12 theatres, an endoscopy and a fracture room, six anaesthetic rooms and a recovery room accommodating 14 patients. A central sterile supply service serves the operating suite as well as other departments of the hospital. A pneumatic tube system transmits documents, medicines, specimens, etc., to various parts of the building. The wards are painted in soft pastel colours and have no central lights; fluorescent lighting on walls above the beds provides general lighting or can be deflected for reading.

CATHOLIC NURSES' GUILD

THE annual general meeting and conference of the Catholic Nurses' Guild of Great Britain was held in Brighton on November 14 and 15. His Lordship, Bishop Craven, Vicar Capitular and Ecclesiastical Adviser to the Guild, was in the chair. Between 300 and 400 members from all parts of the country attended and at the beginning of the meeting the national president, Miss B. J. Mullan, gave a warm welcome to Miss Saunderson, the Irish president, who had come from Dublin especially to attend the meetings.

Tea was served following the business meeting before the members reassembled to take part in a lively discussion on resolutions submitted by the branches and from the floor. Immediately after this, members made their way to the Church of Saint Mary Magdalen for Benediction and in the evening were invited to a civic reception, when the mayor, Councillor C. Cohen, J.P., and the mayoress, Mrs. Coleman Cohen, received 350 guests.

The following day members attended Pontifical High Mass celebrated by His Lordship, Bishop Craven, and the Rev. W. Smith preached the sermon. Later the mayor and mayoress and other guests were entertained at an official luncheon in the Corn Exchange. In the afternoon Mr. P. H. Jayes, F.R.C.S., gave a most interesting talk on *Plastic Surgery*, illustrated by slides; Mrs. Carswell, matron of the Jordan Hospital, Redhill, spoke on *The Modern Treatment of Leprosy in England.*

TO LECTURE IN FAR EAST

PROFESSOR C. Fraser Brockington, professor of Social and Preventive Medicine, Manchester University, left London on December 6 to visit the Far East to lecture on public health under the auspices of the British Council. He will afterwards visit Indonesia, Hong Kong, Japan and Burma, returning to Britain on February 20.

The tour has been arranged in conjunction with the Ministry of Health and Welfare in Japan, the Ministry of Public Health in Thailand and in Burma, the Faculty of Medicine in the University of Indonesia and the Medical Department in Hong Kong. The lectures range over many aspects of public health from 'Noise and its Effects' and 'Smoke Abatement' to 'Mental Health as a Public Health Problem' and 'Care of the Homeless Child'.

Left: *at the THRONE HOSPITAL, Belfast, the vice-president of the ladies' committee presented a television set to Miss A. Campbell, matron, in the women patients sitting-room.*

NEW THEATRE UNIT AT CREWE

A NEW twin operating theatre unit at Crewe and District Memorial Hospital was opened on November 21 by Miss Pat Hornsby-Smith, Parliamentary Secretary to the Ministry of Health, who also unveiled a commemoration plaque. The Rural Dean of Nantwich, the Rev. W. W. Wilson, offered a dedicatory prayer.

The need for the new theatre unit was increased when two new surgical wards of 20 beds each were opened a few years ago. The total cost of the building, equipment, furniture and professional fees was £38,818.

R.A.M.C. AWARDS

LIEUT. S. G. Sutton, a doctor in the Roya Army Medical Corps, spent five hours looking after the injured in the great forest fire in Cyprus on June 17 although he himself had been burned on the arm. The London Gazette announces that Lieut. Sutton has been awarded the M.B.E. (Military Division) for courage during the fire, in which 19 British servicemen died and 18 others were injured.

When Lieut. Sutton first drove towards the fire he was caught by flames which destroyed his Land Rover ambulance and equipment. He went on foot to help the injured. Twice he tried to salvage other vehicles, but was prevented by the fire, and had narrow escapes. "He did his duty with complete disregard for his own safety and burns", says the citation. His brave conduct and devotion to his duty are described as "beyond praise".

OPHTHALMIC NURSING BOARD

THE numbers of candidates successful in the Diploma Examination of the Ophthalmic Nursing Board, held in October 1956, are as follows: Birmingham and Midland Eye Hospital 8; Brighton Eye Hospital 4; Bristol Eye Hospital 9; Royal Eye and Ear Hospital, Dublin 2; Exeter Eye Infirmary 2; Glasgow Eye Infirmary 3; Moorfields Eye Hospital, London 36; Royal Eye Hospital, London 2; Western Ophthalmic Hospital, London 2; St. Paul's Eye Hospital Liverpool 5; Kent County Ophthalmic Hospital, Maidstone 2; Manchester Royal Eye Infirmary 7; Oxford Eye Hospital 7; Sunderland Eye Infirmary 1; Wolverhampton Eye Infirmary 4.

CITY OF LONDON MATERNITY HOSPITAL. Prizewinners with sister tutor, matron and Lady Susan Dauson, who presented the awards at the prizegiving and reunion.

Royal College of Nursing

SCOTTISH BOARD

CONFERENCE

A conference on the WHO Technical Report 105 on Psychiatric Nursing will be held at 44, Heriot Row, Edinburgh, on Tuesday and Wednesday, January 22 and 23.

January 22

THE ROLE OF THE NURSE

9 a.m. Registration.
9.30 a.m. *Introduction to the subject of the Conference.* Chairman. Professor Alexander Kennedy, professor of psychiatry, Edinburgh University.
10.30 a.m. Coffee and biscuits.
11 a.m. *The Role of the Psychiatric Nurse,* by Professor E. Stengel, professor of psychiatry, Sheffield University.
2 p.m. *From Custodial to Therapeutic Care,* by Miss E. Skellern, S.R.N., sister-in-charge, Social Rehabilitation Unit, Belmont Hospital, Surrey.
3 p.m. Group discussion to formulate observations or questions.
3.45 p.m. Tea and biscuits.
4.15 p.m. Discussion from the floor.

January 23

THE EDUCATION OF THE NURSE

9.30 a.m. *Inter-relationship of Role/Education,* by Miss O. Griffith, mental nursing officer, Ministry of Health.
10.30 a.m. Coffee and biscuits.
11 a.m. *Techniques of Therapeutic Relationships,* by Dr. T. Freeman, lecturer in psychotherapy, Glasgow University.
2 p.m. *The Preparation of those who Care for the Mentally Sick,* by Miss A. Altschul, principal sister tutor, The Maudsley Hospital, London.
3 p.m. Group discussion to formulate observations or questions.
3.45 p.m. Tea and biscuits.
4.15 p.m. Discussion from the floor.

It is hoped that all who attend will have read the report. (H.M. Stationery Office, 1s. 9d.)

Public Health Section

QUARTERLY MEETING AND OPEN CONFERENCE

A quarterly meeting and open conference will be held at the Royal College of Nursing, London, W.1, on **Saturday, January 12,** at 10.30 a.m.

10.15 a.m. Registration and coffee.
10.30 a.m. Business meeting (Section members only).

OPEN CONFERENCE

2 p.m. *Epilepsy.*
Chairman: Dr. Desmond Pond, physician, University College Hospital and the Maudsley Hospital.
Speakers: Dr. Colin Edwards, physician, West End Hospital for Neurology and Neurosurgery; neurologist, West Kent Area, South-East Metropolitan Regional Hospital Board.
Miss M. E. Allnatt, matron, Chalfont Colony.
4 p.m. Tea.

Will those wishing to attend the conference please apply to the Secretary, Public Health Section, Royal College of Nursing, W.1, before January 5, enclosing 4s. 6d. for conference and tea or 2s. 6d. for conference only.

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BELFAST: 6, College Gardens

Public Health Section within the London Area.—A meeting will be held in the Cowdray Hall on **February 21** at 7 p.m., when Miss R. Hale, health visitor tutor of Battersea Polytechnic, will speak on her recent visit to Gambia. Coffee and biscuits will be available from 6.30 p.m. before the meeting. A further meeting will be held in the Cowdray Hall on **April 23** at 6.30 p.m. when it is hoped to arrange for a speaker on *Children's Films.*

Occupational Health Section

BURSARIES

Members are reminded that application forms for bursaries to be given by the Section to members attending the 12th International Congress on Industrial Medicine in Finland, July 1-6, 1957, should be returned by *January 12, 1957.*

SALARY NEGOTIATIONS

The Royal College of Nursing has presented salaries claims on behalf of members employed in the National Coal Board, National Dock Labour Board and British Transport Commission.

The National Coal Board and the National Dock Labour Board are, it is understood, giving active consideration to the College proposals, and it is hoped shortly to announce the result of negotiations.

The College is urging the British Transport Commission to review the salaries of the senior grades of nursing staff in the light of the College recommendations and to adjust them accordingly. At present the scales of these nurses are far below the College recommendations revised in July 1956.

Branch Notices

Brighton and Hove Branch.—Nominations are invited and should be sent to Miss Perkins, Royal Sussex County Hospital, Brighton, by first post **Friday, January 4, 1957,** for four seats on the executive committee. The following members are due to retire but are eligible for renomination: Miss Garstang, Miss Hyslop, Miss Thursfield.

Redhill, Reigate and District Branch.—No College meeting will be held until **January 15.** Details will be announced later.

Peterborough Public Health Section

Mr. Paul Mowforth, chief reporter of the *Peterborough Standard,* spoke on 'Humour in Journalism' at a meeting of the Peterborough Public Health Section held in the Town Hall on November 26. Besides explaining the system employed in the

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BIRMINGHAM CENTRE OF NURSING EDUCATION

Special Course on Mental Health

A SPECIAL course on mental health (non-residential) for general State-registered nurses will be held at the Birmingham Centre of Nursing Education, 162, Hagley Road, Birmingham, from January 7-12. Inquiries should be made to the education officer.

Monday, January 7

3.15 p.m. Registration.
4.30 p.m. *A Survey of Local Authority Mental Health Services,* by Mr. T. G. Rankin, senior psychiatric social worker.

Tuesday, January 8

9.30 and 11 a.m. *Normal Emotional Development—the Pre-school Age,* by Miss A. M. Russell, psychiatric social worker.
2.30 p.m. *The Care of the Mentally Defective Child in the Community,* by Mrs. J. M. Fulford, after-care officer.
4 p.m. *The Law Concerning Mental Deficiency,* by Dr. W. Nicol, administrative medical officer of health for mental health.

Wednesday, January 9

9.30 a.m. *Emotional and Intellectual Development in the Schoolchild,* by Mr. W. J. Bannon, senior educational psychologist.
11 a.m. Visit to occupation centres—(*a*) St. Paul's (Mrs. Howell) or (*b*) Weoley Castle (Mrs. Hill).
2 p.m. Visit to Monyhull Hall (hospital for mental defectives).

Thursday, January 10

9.30 and 11 a.m. *Adolescence and Onwards,* by Mr. R. A. Wills, social worker, Psychiatric Social Service.
2.30 p.m. *Social Problems in Old Age,* by Dr. B. Hatherley, deputy administrative medical officer for maternity and child welfare.
4 p.m. *Social Implications of Senile Dementia,* by Dr. Nicol.

Friday, January 11

9.30 a.m. *The Early Signs and Symptoms of Mental Breakdown,* by Dr. P. M. Jeavons, deputy medical superintendent, All Saints Hospital.
11 a.m. *The Social Implications of the New Treatments of Mental Illness,* by J. A. Harrington, consultant psychiatrist, All Saints Hospital.
2.30 p.m. Visit to Uffculme Clinic (day mental hospital).

Saturday, January 12

9.30 a.m. *What do we mean by Problem Families?* by Mr. Rankin.
11 a.m. Final discussion.

Fees (payable on registration). Non-members £3 3s., College members £2 2s., members of affiliated associations £2 12s. 6d. Single lectures (but not visits) may be attended if desired.

production of the actual newspaper, he gave examples of typographical errors which occur from time to time and which may provide amusement or distress by the distortion in meaning.

Mr. Mowforth, who is a member of the Peterborough Fathers' Club, likened a reporter's life to that of a nurse's, in that they are called to attend certain functions and events whenever required, be it in the middle of the night or otherwise, without added remuneration. The speaker was introduced and thanked by Miss J. Wood.

Glasgow Public Health Section

A most enjoyable and successful Scottish country dance was held at Florence Street Clinic on Tuesday, November 27. Members and non-members of the staff contributed most generously to the successful evening.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF NURSING APPEAL

for the Nation's Fund for Nurses

We send our good wishes for Christmas and many thanks to all who have given so generously during the last few weeks to help make Christmas happier for others.

Contributions for week ending December 15

	£	s.	d.
W.M.H.		5	0
Miss A. F. Brown	1	0	0
Miss K. C. W. Rawlins	1	1	0
Peterborough Branch Public Health Section	3	3	0
Miss M. E. Leeks		7	6
Miss M. V. Wilshere, 'in memory of my sister Olive S. Wilshere'	3	3	0
Bexhill Hospital. Christmas donation	3	3	0
Mrs. A. L. Dennis	1	0	0
Miss D. Craddock	1	0	0
Mrs. L. Thomas	2	0	0
Mayfield Hospital, Dundee, Student Nurses' Association	1	10	0
Durham City and District Branch. Christmas donation	2	2	0
Durham City and District Branch. Anonymous donation	1	5	0
Durham City and District Branch. Anonymous donation		10	0
Kingston Hospital Nurses' League	5	5	0
St. Luke's Hospital, Bradford. Christmas donation	50	0	0
Miss Beacham and Miss Wetherell	2	2	0
Anonymous donation	1	1	0
Sisters of New Sussex Hospital, Brighton	1	5	0
Worcester Royal Infirmary Student Nurses' Association	2	2	0
College Member 60283	1	0	0
Worthing Hospital	3	10	0
Worthing and South West Sussex Branch	2	0	0
Miss W. E. Newbegin		5	0
Miss F. L. Smith	2	0	0
M. B. South Wales	1	0	0
Miss H. B. Upperton. *Monthly donation*	1	0	0
Broomwade Charities Fund	5	0	0
Miss H. Ewens		10	0
York Branch. Further donation	6	15	0
Harrogate and District General Hospital Sisters		10	0
Misses Cant, Lamont and Sanderson	1	0	0
Miss G. M. Thackray		5	0
Mrs. M. Court. Christmas donation	2	2	0
Clayton Hospital, Wakefield	10	0	0
Ipswich Branch. Christmas donation	1	0	0
Mrs. B. Balding. Christmas donation	1	0	0
Mrs. V. H. Spence		10	0
Miss N. M. Hill and Miss Moss	2	2	0
Oakwood Hospital, Maidstone	6	0	0
Nottingham General Hospital	1	6	6
North Eastern Metropolitan Branch Ward and Departmental Sisters Section	10	0	0

Total £142

Royal College of Nursing Christmas Tree

	£	s.	d.
Miss Tarratt	1	0	0
Miss D. Mitchell	1	0	0
Harold Wood Hospital S.N.A. Unit	5	0	0

Total £7

Among our gifts this week we acknowledge with thanks two rugs made by the 10th Hackney Brownie Pack. This is indeed a practical way of 'lending a hand'. We also acknowledge with many thanks gifts from the following: Calton I. D. Hospital Campbeltown, Miss K. Roe, Mrs. Simpson, Jessop Hospital, Sheffield, per key member, Miss J. Graham, Lincoln County Hospital, per key member Miss G. Marshall, Miss D. Crow, Worthing Hospital, per key member Miss A. M. Pike, St. Bartholomew's Hospital, Miss J. Cant, key member Miss Lamont, Miss Sanderson, Sisters of the Harrogate and District General Hospital, Miss M. V. Wilshere, Miss P. Ferguson, Miss M. C. Ford, key member, Durham City and District

(*continued in column 2*)

Diploma in Nursing, University of London

EXAMINATION PASS LIST

Medical Nursing

CUTCLIFFE, DOROTHY M., University College Hospital.

GRAY, PHYLLIS L., Kent and Canterbury Hospital and Margate General Hospital.

LOWARCH, DOREEN V., Cumberland Infirmary, Carlisle, and Mile End Hospital.

SAYER, PHOEBE M., Westminster Hospital and Battersea Polytechnic.

Surgical Nursing

CAMPBELL, MAUREEN G., St. Thomas' Hospital and Hammersmith Hospital.

*CULLEN, MURIEL F., St. Thomas' Hospital and Royal College of Nursing.

SCHOFIELD, GRACE F., University College Hospital.

Obstetric Nursing

LEE, CONSTANCE M., Wimbledon Hospital, Kingsbury Maternity Hospital, Royal College of Nursing and private study.

Psychiatric Nursing

GREENAWAY, WILLIAM F., Roundway Hospital, Devizes.

Industrial Nursing

TALLENTS, PERSIS, The Middlesex Hospital and Boots Pure Drug Co., Nottingham.

Public Health Nursing

DENNISON, GLORIA M. F., Charing Cross Hospital and Yorkshire County Council.

HARDMAN, MARGARET E., Preston Royal Infirmary and Lancashire County Council.

THE FOLLOWING STUDENTS HAVE PASSED ONLY IN PART A

APPLEBY, MARGARET, Torbay Hospital, Torquay, and Newport Technical College.

BERRY, MURIEL E., Hampstead General Hospital, Willesden General Hospital and Royal College of Nursing.

BURCHELL, MARY J., Westminster Hospital and Royal College of Nursing.

CULPECK, MARGARET C., The London Hospital and Royal College of Nursing.

HODGSON, ROBERT W., Royal Army Medical Corps, Queen Alexandra's Military Nursing Service, Leeds Regional Hospital Board, Harrogate, and the University of Hull.

KEYWOOD, OLIVE, Derbyshire Royal Infirmary, Charlton and Blackheath District Nursing Association and Royal College of Nursing.

MANNING, EVA J., Royal Berkshire Hospital, Reading, Central Middlesex Hospital, Park Royal, and Royal College of Nursing.

SAWKINS, ENA M., Westminster Hospital and Battersea Polytechnic.

THORN, CAROLINE J., Redhill County Hospital, Edgware, and The College, Swindon.

WALL, JESSIE D., Cardiff Royal Infirmary, Wiltshire County Council and The College, Swindon.

*Distinction

(*continued from column 1*)

Branch, Chesterfield and North Derbyshire Royal Hospital, per key member Miss A. T. Scholes, Taunton and Somerset Hospital Musgrove Park Branch Student Nurses' Association, Edinburgh Southern Hospitals Student Nurses' Association, Mrs. O. M. Wilson, Miss Smith and Miss Eastwood, Miss E. Burgess, key member, Darlington Memorial Hospital per Miss N. Gough and Miss Hunter, key members, editorial staff of the *Nursing Times*, Kirkcudbright Cottage Hospital, per Miss M. G. McCoull, key member, Sunderland Royal Infirmary, Miss R. Hallowes, four ward sisters, Leicester Royal Infirmary, St. Charles' Hospital per key member Miss E. M. Jones, Strathclyde Hospital, Motherwell, per key member Miss M. Hughes, Miss E. M. Bainbridge, United Sheffield Hospitals School of Nursing per key member Miss M. Warren, Royal Cornwall Infirmary, Ward Sisters, Sedgefield Hospital Student Nurses' Association, 'a friend', 'a well-wisher' and many other anonymous donors.

E. F. INGLE,

Secretary, Royal College of Nursing Appeal for the Nation's Fund for Nurses, 1a, Henrietta Place, Cavendish Square, London, W.1.

Whitley Council

STAFF SIDE

The Staff Side of the Nurses and Midwives Council met on Tuesday, December 11, 1956. The following were among the matters discussed.

1. Publication of Information

Revised arrangements were agreed for making available to the membership of the constituent organizations information concerning the work of the Council. It was reported that the Management Side had agreed that details of the agreements might be issued upon the responsibility of the Staff Side, and that upon the same responsibility progress reports should be issued after each meeting, provided no action was taken which might prove prejudicial to negotiations.

2. Nurses Standing Committee

(i) *Regional Nursing Officers.* It was reported that the committee was undertaking the formulation of a claim for revised salaries for regional nursing officers.

(ii) *Salaries of Night Superintendents.* It was agreed that a claim should be submitted for a revised method of assessment of the salaries of night superintendents which would reflect more adequately the responsibility borne by this grade.

(iii) *State-enrolled Assistant Nurses in Supervisory Positions.* It was agreed that State-enrolled assistant nurses in supervisory positions should be graded and remunerated in a more equitable way and that a claim should be made for a new grade with an appropriate salary scale.

3. Public Health and Midwives Standing Committees

It was reported that these committees were engaged upon the formulation of proposals for revised salaries for all grades in the public health and domiciliary services.

4. Conditions of Service

Reports were received of progress made in negotiations for a complete revision of service conditions.

Postgraduate Cerebral Palsy Courses

The College of Physicians and Surgeons, Columbia University, New York, gives courses in cerebral palsy; the next course for therapists and nurses will be held from March 4 to May 3, 1957. Full details are obtainable from the Office of the Dean, College of Physicians and Surgeons, 630, West 168th Street, New York 32, N.Y.

NURSING SCHOOL NEWS

[Photo: Derby Evening Telegraph.]

Above: *BURTON-ON-TRENT GENERAL HOSPITAL. The Duchess of Devonshire presents the gold medal to Miss Bridget Comerford.*

Below: *WEST CORNWALL HOSPITAL, Penzance. Prizewinners, who received their awards from Miss I. E. Spalding, secretary of the Student Nurses' Association (seated third from right), with Miss M. E. Orchard, matron, second from right.*

The Hospital for Sick Children, Great Ormond Street

THE Princess Royal presented the awards at a delightful ceremony on November 8, and was welcomed by the chairman of the board of governors, Mr. C. A. Lucas. Miss G. M. Kirby, matron, added her welcome to the Princess (who had worked as a 'probationer nurse' at the hospital during the First World War). She also welcomed the parents of the nurses present, saying that a happy home background for the student nurse was of the utmost importance.

Reporting on the nursing school, Miss E. J. Worthy, principal tutor, said that their object was to produce good paediatric nurses, who would understand the needs of the child based on his background and family. So as to bring the student nurse's parents 'into the picture', Miss Worthy said that they were asked to tea on the day of their daughter's arrival at the preliminary training school, and that an open day for parents was organized by the students themselves during their second year, so that the teaching staff could meet parents.

The Princess Royal addressed the nurses and delighted them by her informal account of her experience when invited by matron to attend her first operation during the time she worked at the hospital. "It was a tonsil and adenoid operation", said Her Royal Highness; "not perhaps one of the best for one's initiation!" she added amid laughter. She recalled, too, her feelings of apprehension and diffidence when she had entered the hospital, and wondered if the nurses who were now receiving their certificates had felt the same on their first day in the preliminary training school. "I congratulate you most warmly," she concluded "and I do realize what a lot of hard work your success has meant. I wish you the best of luck and happiness throughout your nursing life."

The Southwood medal was awarded to Miss E. R. Crisp. The Kelloch medal (post-certificate) was won by Miss F. W. Long, S.R.N. Miss M. O. D. Taylor won the nursing prize.

Left: *THE HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN, Great Ormond Street. Seated centre, the Princess Royal with Miss E. R. Crisp, gold medal, Miss G. M. Kirby, matron, and Miss E. J. Worthy, principal tutor, with other prizewinners.*

Tooting Bec Hospital

THE first prizegiving was held at the hospital on October 26, when Mr. J. M. Oakey, M.C., J.P., chairman of the hospital management committee, presented the awards. Mrs. I. Lang, O.B.E., regional nursing adviser, addressed the nurses. Miss S. L. Thomas, matron, Mr. L. Greaney, chief male nurse, and Miss U. V. Budge, sister tutor, presented reports. Dr. J. S. Lloyd, physician superintendent, proposed the vote of thanks.

Matron's prize and chief male nurse's prize, for the best ward reports, were won by Miss H. Bauer and Mr. A. Johnson respectively. Hospital certificates and badges were presented to a number of trained staff, and nursing assistant certificates were also presented.

Right: *BOLTON ROYAL INFIRMARY. Mr. P. I. Bell, Q.C., M.P., presented the awards. Among the prizewinners were Miss R. Murphy, Miss M. Jones, Miss M. E. Lindsay, Miss B. England and Miss G. C. Guillon.*

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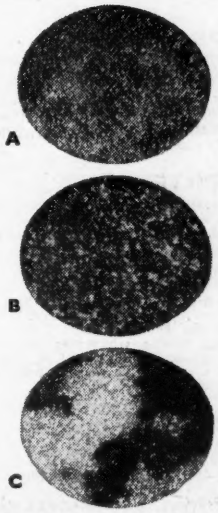

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GENERAL HOSPITAL, WESTON-SUPER-MARE
beds). Theatre Staff Nurses for day duty. S.R.N. Resident or non-resident.

GLOUCESTERSHIRE ROYAL HOSPITAL
for Private Wards; and two for Orthopaedic Wards; and one for Ophthalmic rtment—must hold recognised ophthalmic certificate. Applications to Matron, Western Road, Gloucester.

LYME REGIS HOSPITAL
beds). Preferably with theatre experience. Resident or non-resident. This hospital is pleasantly situated overlooking the sea. Good 'bus service.

LYNTON DISTRICT COTTAGE HOSPITAL
eral—7 beds. Maternity—3 beds). Two required. C.M.B. an advantage. dent or non-resident. Friends welcomed.

MINEHEAD AND WEST SOMERSET HOSPITAL, MINEHEAD
beds). Two S.R.N.s required, one for theatre.

NEWQUAY AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL
beds). Theatre experience preferable. Acute hospital. Seaside town.

NORTH DEVON INFIRMARY, BARNSTAPLE
beds). One, preferably S.R.N., R.S.C.N., for Children's Ward. Also Staff rses for Theatre and Out-patients' Department.

PAIGNTON AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, PAIGNTON
beds). S.R.N. for theatre duty. Small, busy hospital. Excellent experience.

REDHILLS HOSPITAL, EXETER
nic Sick—150 beds. Maternity—10 beds). Assistant Nurse Training School. (S.C.M. an advantage) for day or night duty. Resident or non-resident. y-equipped nurses' home separate from the hospital. Active geriatric hospital busy maternity unit.

ROYAL CORNWALL INFIRMARY, TRURO
beds). For night duty in General Theatre.

ST. JAMES'S HOSPITAL, DEVIZES
nic Sick—187 beds). Staff Nurse (or Junior Ward Sister). S.R.N. dent or non-resident.

ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL, ISLES OF SCILLY
required. Applications to Matron, West Cornwall Hospital, Penzance.

SHUTE SHELVE HOSPITAL, AXBRIDGE
operative Unit—17 beds). S.R.N. Resident or non-resident.

SOUTH DEVON AND EAST CORNWALL HOSPITAL, FREEDOM FIELDS, PLYMOUTH
beds). S.R.N.s for Surgical and Medical Wards. Also one with theatre ence for busy theatres. Applications to Greenbank Road, Plymouth.

SOUTH MOLTON AND DISTRICT COTTAGE HOSPITAL
eral—6 beds. Maternity—3 beds).

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)—Contd.

TAUNTON AND SOMERSET HOSPITAL, TAUNTON
(420 beds). Resident or non-resident.

TEHIDY CHEST HOSPITAL, CAMBORNE
(150 beds). Excellent experience in the nursing of major thoracic surgery, including cardiac and oesophageal surgery. Modern nurses' home. Training School for B.T.A. Certificate.

TORRINGTON COTTAGE HOSPITAL, GREAT TORRINGTON
(General—8 beds. Maternity—4 beds). Two required.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

BELMONT HOSPITAL, TIVERTON, DEVON
(79 beds). S.R.N. for Male Geriatric Wards. Non-resident.

NEWTON ABBOT HOSPITAL, S. DEVON
(261 beds). S.R.N. Non-resident. For modern Geriatric Ward.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

BARNCOOSE GERIATRIC HOSPITAL, REDRUTH
(146 beds).

BURNHAM-ON-SEA WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
(25 beds). Resident or non-resident.

CASTLE HOSPITAL, OKEHAMPTON
(Chronic Sick—51 beds). Female.

CHARD HOSPITAL, SOMERSET
(Chronic Sick—20 beds). Resident or non-resident.

CHIPPENHAM HOSPITAL, WILTS.
(General—32 beds). Resident or non-resident.

COUNTY ISOLATION HOSPITAL, TRURO

DROVE ROAD HOSPITAL, WESTON-SUPER-MARE
(Geriatric Unit—39 beds). Resident or non-resident.

EAST CORNWALL HOSPITAL, BODMIN

FROGWELL HOSPITAL, CHIPPENHAM
(Infectious, T.B. and Chronic Sick—24 beds). Day and night duty. Resident or non-resident.

KEYNSHAM HOSPITAL, BRISTOL
(Chronic Sick—120 beds). Male, non-resident. Female, resident or non-resident.

MOWBRAY HOUSE MATERNITY HOSPITAL, EXETER
(24 beds). Full-time. Resident or non-resident.

NEWTON ABBOT HOSPITAL, S. DEVON
(261 beds). For ward duties. Resident or non-resident.

NORTH DEVON INFIRMARY, BARNSTAPLE
(105 beds). Male.

ST. JAMES'S HOSPITAL, DEVIZES
(Chronic Sick—187 beds). Resident or non-resident.

ST. PETER'S HOSPITAL, SHEPTON MALLET
(Chronic Sick—40 beds. Maternity—8 beds). Resident or non-resident.

TAUNTON AND SOMERSET HOSPITAL, TAUNTON
(420 beds). Resident or non-resident.

TEHIDY CHEST HOSPITAL, CAMBORNE
(150 beds). Excellent experience in the nursing of major thoracic surgery, including cardiac and oesophageal surgery. Modern nurses' home. Training School for B.T.A. Certificate

WELLINGTON MATERNITY HOME, SOMERSET
(14 beds). Resident or non-resident.

WELLS INFIRMARY, SOMERSET
(Chronic Sick—150 beds). Resident or non-resident.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

FROME VICTORIA HOSPITAL
(48 beds. Maternity—9 beds). Young Sister or Staff Midwife wishing to gain experience (to be one of three Midwives) for small maternity unit attached to general hospital.

HIGHFIELD MATERNITY HOME, BARNSTAPLE
(13 beds).

MALMESBURY HOSPITAL
(General—25 beds. Maternity—5 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident or non-resident. Two-roomed cottage available. Suitable married couple or widow.

NEWTON ABBOT HOSPITAL, S. DEVON
(261 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. for modern, 15-bedded Maternity Section. Post vacant early January, 1957.

ST. PETER'S HOSPITAL, SHEPTON MALLET
(Maternity—8 beds). Resident or non-resident.

WELLINGTON MATERNITY HOME, SOMERSET
(14 beds). Resident or non-resident.

STAFF MIDWIVES

ASHCOMBE HOUSE MATERNITY HOSPITAL, WESTON-SUPER-MARE
(19 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

BOVEY TRACEY DISTRICT HOSPITAL, DEVON
(18 beds). Small general hospital with 4 maternity beds.

CHELTENHAM MATERNITY HOSPITAL
(42 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. or S.C.M. only. Excellent opportunity for wide experience Premature Baby Unit and "Flying Squad". Resident or non-resident.

CHIPPING SODBURY MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, Nr. BRISTOL
(Maternity—12 beds). Full-time (part-time applications considered) for day and night duty.

DEVIZES MATERNITY HOSPITAL
(15 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident or non-resident. Eighty per cent Midwives' cases.

FROME VICTORIA HOSPITAL
(48 beds. Maternity—9 beds). Staff Midwife or young Sister wishing to gain experience (to be one of three Midwives) for small maternity unit attached to general hospital. Resident or non-resident.

GREENWAYS MATERNITY HOSPITAL, CHIPPENHAM, WILTS.
(20 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

HIGHFIELD MATERNITY HOME, BARNSTAPLE
(13 beds).

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SOUTH WESTERN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—(*Contd.*)

STAFF MIDWIVES—Contd.

NORTH DEVON INFIRMARY, BARNSTAPLE
(105 beds). For 14-bedded abnormal unit.

OKEHAMPTON AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL
(17 beds). Small general hospital with four maternity beds.

PAIGNTON AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, S. DEVON
(50 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. or S.C.M. only, for 8-bedded Maternity Section. Alternate day and night duty. Resident or non-resident.

TAUNTON AND SOMERSET HOSPITAL (MATERNITY UNIT), MUSGROVE PARK BRANCH, TAUNTON
(50 beds). Four vacancies. Resident or non-resident. Part II Training School.

WEST CORNWALL HOSPITAL, PENZANCE
One required. Small unit of 6 beds.

MENTAL NURSING VACANCIES

DEPUTY MATRON

CONEY HILL HOSPITAL, GLOUCESTER
(Mental—572 female beds). Resident or non-resident. Double training an advantage.

TUTOR

BRISTOL MENTAL HOSPITAL, FISHPONDS, BRISTOL
(1,193 beds) and

BARROW HOSPITAL, BARROW GURNEY, Nr. BRISTOL
(437 beds). **Sister or Male Tutor in sole charge.** Resident or non-resident. Group Training School.

NIGHT SISTER IN SOLE CHARGE

HORTON ROAD HOSPITAL, GLOUCESTER
(Mental—460 female beds). Resident or non-resident.

WARD SISTERS

CONEY HILL HOSPITAL, GLOUCESTER
(Mental—572 female beds). Resident or non-resident.

HORTON ROAD HOSPITAL, GLOUCESTER
(Mental—460 female beds). Resident or non-resident.

PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES

Required at the following hospitals for two years' training for Roll of Assistant Nurses.

NEWTON ABBOT HOSPITAL, S. DEVON
(261 beds). Must be at least 18 years of age. Resident or non-resident.

PASSMORE EDWARDS HOSPITAL, LISKEARD, CORNWALL
(20 beds). Applicants between the ages 18 to 40 years.

STUDENT NURSE TRAINING

There are vacancies at the undermentioned hospitals. Training allowances and conditions of service in accordance with Whitley Council scale. Applications to Matron of hospital concerned.

CHELTENHAM GENERAL, EYE AND CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL, CHELTENHAM (Incorporating Winchcombe Hospital)
(246 beds)

Vacancies for students between the ages of 18 and 34 years, with good education. Training, including 12 weeks in the Preliminary Training School, covers three years, followed by six months as a Staff Nurse. Nurses on the Supplementary Register of the General Nursing Council are accepted for two years training. Study day system of training established.

GLOUCESTERSHIRE ROYAL HOSPITAL, GLOUCESTER
Twelve weeks spent in the training school. Modified block system of training established.

NORTH DEVON INFIRMARY, BARNSTAPLE
(167 beds). Students spend three months at a P.T.S. near Exeter and then return to Barnstaple to complete their three years general training. Good residential quarters are provided. The district comprises an extensive holiday area with sandy beaches, wonderful views and wild moorland country.

ROYAL DEVON AND EXETER HOSPITAL
(320 beds) and

WEST OF ENGLAND EYE INFIRMARY, EXETER
(62 beds). Vacancies for well-educated girls and men, 18-35 years. Girls holding the G.C.E. accepted for pre-nursing duties at 17 years of age. Post-registration students accepted for shortened course of training. Block system of training.

WESTON-SUPER-MARE GENERAL HOSPITAL
Vacancies for Students between the ages of 18 and 34, with good education. Block system of training. Lectures by medical staff and qualified tutors. Candidates on the Supplementary Register of the General Nursing Council accepted for two years training. Preliminary Training Schools commencing April and October, 1957.

STUDENTS. There are vacancies for Student Nurses, Pupil Assistant Nurses and Pupil Midwives, at Training Hospitals in all parts of the Region. A list of Hospitals (including Mental and Mental Deficiency Hospitals) which are recognised Training Schools will be sent on application to the Regional Nursing Officer, South Western Regional Hospital Board, "Parklands," 27, Tyndalls Park Road, Bristol, 8. (59)

EDINBURGH & SOUTH-EASTERN REGION OF SCO

NURSING STAFF VACANCIES

PRINCIPAL TUTOR, R.M.N., R.G.N. or S.R.N.:

ROYAL EDINBURGH HOSPITAL FOR MEN NERVOUS DISORDERS, Morningside, Over 1,000 beds. Qualified Tutor, male required for this teaching hospital. Training School. Block system of lectures early February, 1957.

SISTER TUTORS:

ASTLEY AINSLIE HOSPITAL, Grange Loan, 242 beds. Qualified Tutor-in-Sole-Charge undertake instruction of student nurses Register up to Preliminary State Examin Resident or non-resident.

EDINBURGH SOUTHERN HOSPITALS SCH NURSING, DEACONESS HOSPITAL, Tutor, one of four, required for Group Scheme. Modern methods and good accommodation.

STRATHEDEN MENTAL HOSPITAL, 1,025 beds. Qualified Tutor-in-Sole-Charge and R.G.N. or S.R.N. Preliminary Train Block system of lectures.

NIGHT SISTER:

PEEL HOSPITAL, Clovenfords, Nr. Galashiels,

ASSISTANT MATRON, R.M.N. and S.R.N.:

STRATHEDEN MENTAL HOSPITAL, 1,025 beds. Modern units—theatre. psychiatric.

WARD SISTERS:

STRATHEDEN MENTAL HOSPITAL, 1,025 beds. R.M.N.

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT:

EAST FORTUNE HOSPITAL, Drem, North East Lothian. 300 beds. Senior of the accommodation and recreational facilities. transport to Edinburgh.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS:

VERT MEMORIAL MATERNITY HOSPITAL, ton. 20 beds.

ELSIE INGLIS MEMORIAL MATERNITY 73 beds. Part I and Part II Training Sch

THEATRE SISTER:

EAST FORTUNE HOSPITAL, Drem, North East Lothian. 300 beds. Theatre, Plaster Out-patient Department. Interesting, varied

STAFF MIDWIVES:

KNOLL MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Duns, 7 beds.

VERT MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, Haddington.

EASTERN GENERAL HOSPITAL, Seafield, Edinburgh. Part I Training School.

STAFF NURSES:

STRATHEDEN MENTAL HOSPITAL, 1,025 beds. Vacancies on Female Wards.

ROODLANDS GENERAL HOSPITAL, 80 beds. Modern Surgical Unit.

EASTERN GENERAL HOSPITAL, Seafield, Edinburgh. 299 beds.

BANGOUR GENERAL HOSPITAL, Broxburn, Lothian. 619 beds. Out-patient Department Theatre Unit.

PEEBLES WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, Tweed, Peebles. 30 beds.

PEEL HOSPITAL, Clovenfords, Nr. Galashiels, shire. 220 beds.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES:

PEEL HOSPITAL, Clovenfords, Nr. Galashiels, shire. 220 beds.

PUPIL MIDWIVES:

BANGOUR GENERAL HOSPITAL, Broxburn, Lothian. 619 beds. Part II training only. February, 1957, and April, 1957.

POST-REGISTRATION COURSES:

BANGOUR GENERAL HOSPITAL, Broxburn, Lothian. 619 beds.

Plastic and Maxillo Facial Surgical Nursing Course. A six months' course is offered with in wards and departments of all types of tional surgery. Certificate awarded to students.

Neurosurgical Course. There are vacancies Neurosurgical Nursing Course commencing in preparation for the Certificate of the University Department of Surgical Neurol

Tuberculosis Certificates. One year's course preparation for the B.T.A. Certificate.

Whitley Council salary scales and conditions of service will above appointments.

Applications, stating age, qualifications and experience and referees to be submitted direct to the Matrons of the respective hosp above vacancies.

Particulars of Nurse Training Schools and other vacancies may from the Regional Nursing Officer, South-Eastern Regional Hosp 11 Drumsheugh Gardens, Edinburgh, 3.

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL FOR DISEASES OF THE IN-PATIENT DEPARTMENT, HOMERTON GROVE

Night Sister required—50 beds. Previous dermatological ex advantage.

Applications with particulars of experience to Matron.

EAST ANGLIAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

Applications are invited for the following appointments, and should be sent, together with details of age, training, qualifications and experience, and accompanied by copies of two recent testimonials (or the names of two referees) to THE MATRON OF THE HOSPITAL CONCERNED (except where otherwise stated). Salaries and conditions of service in accordance with the appropriate scales.

CAMBRIDGESHIRE AREA

THEATRE SISTERS

GENERAL HOSPITAL, Saffron Walden, Essex (43 beds). For small busy general hospital, must be able to assist surgeons from Cambridge and Newmarket visiting for weekly sessions. Good post for someone wishing to gain experience or waiting for her first senior post. Resident.

STAFF NURSES

GENERAL HOSPITAL, Saffron Walden, Essex (43 beds). Required for general acute nursing. Newly registered Nurses wishing to gain experience welcomed.

GENERAL HOSPITAL, Saffron Walden, Essex (43 beds). **For night duty.** Night duty, five nights per fortnight.

PAPWORTH HOSPITAL, Cambridge. S.R.N. or T.A. for work on both Medical Wards and modern Thoracic Surgical Unit. Also Male Nurses, S.R.N. or T.A.

POST-GRADUATE COURSES

PAPWORTH HOSPITAL, Cambridge. For T.A. Certificate.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

PAPWORTH HOSPITAL, Cambridge.

ST. JAMES' HOSPITAL, Saffron Walden, Essex (Chronic Sick—124 beds. Maternity Unit of 9 beds). For day and night duty.

STAFF MIDWIVES

ST. JAMES' HOSPITAL, Saffron Walden, Essex (Chronic Sick—124 beds. Maternity Unit of 9 beds). For Maternity Unit.

NURSING AUXILIARIES

ST. JAMES' HOSPITAL, Saffron Walden, Essex (Chronic Sick—124 beds. Maternity Unit—9 beds). For day and night duty.

WEST SUFFOLK AREA

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT

NEWMARKET GENERAL HOSPITAL, Newmarket (330 beds). Complete General Training School. Must be S.R.N. and S.C.M.

NIGHT SISTERS

WALNUTTREE HOSPITAL, Sudbury (Chronic—142 beds). In sole charge.

WEST SUFFOLK GENERAL HOSPITAL, Bury St. Edmunds (Acute—[illegible] beds). Third Night Sister for vacancy in January, 1957.

SISTERS

ST. LEONARD'S HOSPITAL, Sudbury (Acute—44 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Relief Night duty. Also S.R.N. day and night duty.

WALNUTTREE HOSPITAL, Sudbury (Chronic—142 beds). Ward Sisters.

WEST SUFFOLK GENERAL HOSPITAL, Bury St. Edmunds (Acute—[illegible] beds). S.R.N., R.S.C.N. essential, for 20-bedded Children's Ward.

STAFF NURSES

NEWMARKET GENERAL HOSPITAL, Exning Road, Newmarket (330 beds). Complete General Training School. Male or female for Male and Female Medical Wards. Must be S.R.N. B.T.A. Certificate an advantage.

ST. LEONARD'S HOSPITAL, Sudbury (Acute—44 beds). Day and night duty, and Clinics.

WEST SUFFOLK GENERAL HOSPITAL, Bury St. Edmunds (Acute—[illegible] beds). For wards and departments.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

ST. LEONARD'S HOSPITAL, Sudbury (Acute—44 beds). General Wards and Clinics.

WALNUTTREE HOSPITAL, Sudbury (Chronic—142 beds).

WEST SUFFOLK GENERAL HOSPITAL, Bury St. Edmunds (Acute—[illegible] beds). For wards and departments.

STAFF MIDWIVES

NEWMARKET GENERAL HOSPITAL, Newmarket (330 beds). Complete General Training School. For night duty in ward of 14 beds and cots. Must be S.C.M.: S.R.N. qualification an advantage.

NORFOLK AREA

SISTERS

KELLING CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL, Holt (Non-open cases of Tubercle in Children—48 beds). Ward Sister, S.R.N. Able to take charge in Matron's absence.

EAST SUFFOLK AREA

SISTERS

SUFFOLK CONVALESCENT HOME, Felixstowe (Convalescent—53 beds). Second Sister for busy Convalescent Home. Responsible for care and treatment of ambulant patients.

STAFF MIDWIVES

IPSWICH AND EAST SUFFOLK HOSPITAL, HEATH ROAD WING, Ipswich (General—274 beds).

PUPIL MIDWIVES

IPSWICH AND EAST SUFFOLK HOSPITAL, HEATH ROAD WING, Ipswich (General—274 beds). Pupils prepared for Part I Examination of the C.M.B. Vacancies February, May, August and November.

HUNTINGDONSHIRE AREA

SISTERS

HUNTINGDON COUNTY HOSPITAL, Huntingdon (63 beds). For Casualty and Out-patients' Department. Required early in 1957.

STAFF NURSES

HUNTINGDON COUNTY HOSPITAL, Huntingdon (63 beds). For Women's Unit of 19 beds.

HUNTINGDON COUNTY HOSPITAL, Huntingdon (63 beds). For Theatre.

MENTAL NURSING VACANCIES

WARD SISTERS

RISBRIDGE HOME, Kedington, Nr. Haverhill, Suffolk (M.D.—293 beds).

STAFF NURSES

RISBRIDGE HOME, Kedington, Nr. Haverhill, Suffolk (M.D.—293 beds). Female.

NURSING ASSISTANTS

RISBRIDGE HOME, Kedington, Nr. Haverhill, Suffolk (M.D.—293 beds). Male and female.

STUDENT NURSE TRAINING

Applications are invited for Student Nurses at the following hospitals. Training allowances and conditions of service are in accordance with the Whitley Council scales. Applications to the Matron of the hospital concerned.

HUNTINGDON COUNTY HOSPITAL, Huntingdon (63 beds). For general training.

UNITED IPSWICH HOSPITALS TRAINING SCHOOL FOR NURSES, IPSWICH AND EAST SUFFOLK HOSPITAL (ANGLESEA ROAD WING and HEATH ROAD WING) (General—636 beds). Joint training for male and female Nurses. Candidates are accepted for 3½ years' joint training at the above school. The preliminary course commences at the beginning of January, May and September each year. Study day system of training in operation. Wide range of practical nursing experience available. Applications to Matron of either wing of the Ipswich and East Suffolk Hospital.

PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES

Required for the two-year Course for the Roll of Assistant Nurses.

WALNUTTREE HOSPITAL, Sudbury, Suffolk (Chronic—142 beds). (84)

UNITED OXFORD HOSPITALS
CHURCHILL HOSPITAL
HEADINGTON, OXFORD
NIGHT SISTER

Applications are invited from State Registered Nurses for the post of **Night Sister** at above hospital. The post offers wide interesting experience.

Further particulars from Matron. (3387)

BOARD OF MANAGEMENT FOR INVERNESS HOSPITALS
RAIGMORE HOSPITAL
General and Midwifery Training School

Applications are invited from suitably qualified nurses for the following vacancies: **Night Superintendent. Sister** of Female Medic Ward. **Staff Midwives. Staff Nurses.**

Salary Council salary and conditions of service.

Applications, giving names of two referees, to Matron. (3413)

PLEASE MENTION "NURSING TIMES" WHEN ANSWERING ITS ADVERTISEMENTS

HAMPSTEAD GENERAL HOSPITAL
THE GREEN, HAMPSTEAD
LONDON, N.W.3

Senior Theatre Sister required. Apply, giving age, experience and two names for reference, to the Matron. (3222)

THE UNITED LEEDS HOSPITALS
THE HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN AT LEEDS

Theatre Superintendent required at this Gynaecological Unit of 103 beds.

Applications stating age, previous experience and three names for reference, should be sent to the Matron, The General Infirmary at Leeds. (3277)

THE UNITED BIRMINGHAM HOSPITALS
THE CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL

Theatre Sister required, excellent general experience and also Thoracic, Cardiac and Neo-natal Surgery.

Applications with full details of training and experience and names of two referees, to Matron, Children's Hospital, Birmingham, 16. (3313)

BOARD OF MANAGEMENT FOR INVERNESS HOSPITALS
ROYAL NORTHERN INFIRMARY
INVERNESS

Applications are invited for the post of **Theatre Sister** (222 beds).

Applications, stating age, qualifications and experience, with names for reference, to Matron. (3386)

STOBHILL GENERAL HOSPITAL
GLASGOW, N.1.

Theatre Sisters required. Application form from Matron. (3057)

VICTORIA HOSPITAL FOR CHILDREN
TITE STREET, CHELSEA, S.W.3

Theatre Sister required at above hospital. Apply for further particulars to the Matron. (3366)

KING'S COLLEGE HOSPITAL
TEACHING GROUP
BELGRAVE HOSPITAL FOR CHILDREN

Relief Sister required, S.R.N., R.S.C.N. Apply to the Matron, Belgrave Hospital for Children, 1 Clapham Road, London, S.W.9. (3217)

WHITELEY VILLAGE HOSPITAL
WALTON-ON-THAMES

Sister required at the above hospital, preferably one with some experience with elderly people.

Full particulars can be obtained from Matron. (2298)

THE ELIZABETH GARRETT ANDERSON HOSPITAL
EUSTON ROAD, LONDON, N.W.1
(Royal Free Hospital Group)

(a) **Junior Sister** or **Staff Nurse** required to be in charge of Children's Ward on night duty.

(b) **Staff Nurse** required for Private Patients' Ward.

(c) **Staff Nurse** required for Surgical Ward.

All posts may be resident or non-resident. Apply to Matron. (3341)

BANBRIDGE HOSPITAL, BANBRIDGE
CO. DOWN, N. IRELAND

Departmental Midwifery Sister.

Applications to the Matron. (3396)

NORTH WEST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

North and West London, Bedfordshire and parts of Middlesex, Hertfordshire, Berkshire and Buckinghamshire

Applications are invited for the following appointments which should be sent, together with details of age, qualifications, training, experience and the names of two referees (or copies of two recent testimonials), TO THE MATRON OF THE APPROPRIATE HOSPITAL, unless otherwise stated, from whom further details may be obtained. National salary scales apply.

GENERAL NURSING APPOINTMENTS

SISTER TUTORS

Canadian Red Cross Memorial Hospital, Taplow, Maidenhead, Berks. (General—332 beds). Res.

Mount Vernon Hospital, Northwood, Middlesex (500 beds). Required as increase of qualified tutorial staff. Complete Training School for Student Nurses.

NURSE TUTORS (MALE or FEMALE)

Whittington Hospital, Highgate Hill, London, N.19 (1,140 beds). Res. or non-res.

TUTOR (FEMALE)

King Edward VII Hospital, Windsor and Old Windsor Units, Windsor, Berks. (General—455 beds). Res. or non-res. To assist Principal Sister Tutor. Block system of training.

SECOND ASSISTANT MATRON

Hillingdon Hospital, Uxbridge, Middx. (General—621 beds). Res. S.R.N., S.C.M. Very suitable for candidate seeking administrative experience. Further particulars obtainable from Matron.

HOUSEKEEPING SISTER

Bedfordshire Sanatorium, Mogerhanger Park, Nr. Bedford (88 beds). Res.

HOME SISTER (Assistant)

St. Charles' Hospital, Ladbroke Grove, London, W.10 (General—581 beds). Res.

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENTS

Bedford General Hospital (South Wing), Kempston Road, Bedford (206 beds). Res. or non-res.

Central Middlesex Hospital, Park Royal, London, N.W.10 (750 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M., or Part I only.

NIGHT SISTERS

Bedford General Hospital (North Wing), Kimbolton Road, Bedford (Mainly Acute—233 beds). Res. or non-res. Junior Night Sister.

Hillingdon Hospital, Uxbridge, Middx. (General—621 beds). **ONE,** Senior, S.R.N. and preferably Part I C.M.B.; **ONE,** S.R.N., R.S.C.N. for Children's Unit.

Paddington General Hospital, Harrow Road, London, W.9 (582 beds). Res. or non-res. Five nights off fortnightly.

St. Charles' Hospital, Ladbroke Grove, London, W.10 (General — 581 beds). Res. or non-res.

Upton Hospital, Slough, Bucks. (General—211 beds). Res. or non-res. One of three.

Whittington Hospital, Highgate Hill, London, N.19 (1,140 beds). Res. or non-res. **One** to act as Deputy to Night Superintendent.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

King Edward VII Hospital, Windsor and Old Windsor Units, Windsor, Berks. (General—455 beds). Res. or non-res.

Queen Mary Maternity Unit (West Middlesex Hospital), Isleworth, Middx. (100 beds, 80 cots, 15 premature cots). Res. or non-res. Junior.

St. Albans City Hospital, Normandy Road, St. Albans (Complete General Training School—384 beds).

Welwyn Garden City Maternity Hospital, Peartree Lane, Welwyn Garden City (Part II Training School—30 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M.

Whittington Hospital, Highgate Hill, London, N.19 (1,140 beds). Res. or non-res.

THEATRE SISTERS

Clare Hall Hospital, South Mimms, Nr. Barnet, Herts. (Chest Hospital—409 beds). Res. or non-res.

Northwood, Pinner and District Hospital, Pinner Road, Northwood, Middx. (36 beds). Res. or non-res.

THEATRE SISTERS—Contd.

Whittington Hospital, Highgate Hill, London, N.19 (1,140 beds). Res. or non-res.

WARD SISTERS

Abbots Langley Hospital, Nr. Watford, Herts. (Elderly patients, some with psychiatric disabilities). Res. or non-res. Mental nursing qualification an advantage but not essential.

Bedford General Hospital (North Wing), Kimbolton Road, Bedford (233 beds). Res. or non-res. **ONE,** Junior, for Chest Wards.

Hillingdon Hospital, Uxbridge, Middx. (General—621 beds). S.R.N. for busy Female Acute Surgical and Orthopaedic Ward. Second Ward Sister.

St. Albans City Hospital, Normandy Road, St. Albans (Complete General Training School—384 beds). For Women's Geriatric Ward.

St. Elizabeth's, Mayfield Avenue, North Finchley, London, N.12 (Female Geriatric—52 beds). S.R.N. Temporary for three or four months' night duty.

Steppingley Hospital, Steppingley, Beds. (Chronic—44 beds). Res. or non-res.

Teddington, Hampton Wick and District Hospital, Hampton Road, Teddington, Middlesex (General — 51 beds). Res. or non-res. Temporary from 1st January, 1957.

The Royal London Homoeopathic Hospital, Great Ormond Street, Queen Square, London, W.C.1 (General—183 beds). Res. Private Wards.

Tolmers Park Hospital, Newgate St., Nr. Hertford, Herts. (Chronic Sick—104 beds). Res. or non-res. Vacancies suitable for Nurses seeking first Ward Sister's post, or desirous of gaining Geriatric Nursing experience.

Upton Hospital, Slough, Bucks. (General—211 beds). Res. or non-res. **TWO,** Juniors.

West Middlesex Hospital, Isleworth, Middlesex (General—1,142 beds). For Geriatric Unit.

Whittington Hospital, Highgate Hill, London, N.19 (1,140 beds). Res. or non-res. For Surgical Ward.

RELIEF SISTERS

Bedford General Hospital (North Wing), Kimbolton Road, Bedford (Mainly Acute—233 beds). Res. or non-res.

Hillingdon Hospital, Uxbridge, Middx. (General—621 beds). **TWO** S.R.N.

The Royal London Homoeopathic Hospital, Great Ormond Street, Queen Square, London, W.C.1 (General—183 beds). Res. or non-res.

STAFF MIDWIVES

Barnet General Hospital, Maternity Unit (Victoria Maternity Hospital), Wood Street, Barnet, Herts. (70 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Res. or non-res.

Bedford General Hospital (North Wing), (Maternity Unit), Kimbolton Road, Bedford (60 beds and 3 premature cubicles). Res. or non-res. This hospital is a Part II Midwifery Training School.

Chiswick Maternity Unit (West Middlesex Hospital), Isleworth, Middlesex Non-res. S.R.N., S.C.M. Part I Midwifery Training School—20 Pupils.

Colinswood Maternity Home, Farnham Common, Bucks. (21 beds). Res. or non-res.

King Edward VII Hospital, Windsor and Old Windsor Units, Windsor, Berks. (General—455 beds). Res. or non-res.

Paddington General Hospital, Harrow Road, London, W.9 (582 beds, Part II Midwifery Training School). Res. or non-res. S.R.N., S.C.M.

Perivale Maternity Hospital, Western Avenue, Greenford, Middlesex (Modern Midwifery Training School, Part I—52 beds). Res. or non-res. Situated within easy access to London. Full or part-time.

STAFF MIDWIVES—Contd.

Queen Mary Maternity Unit (West Middlesex Hospital), Isleworth, Middx. (100 beds, 80 cots, 15 premature cots). Res. or non-res. S.R.N., S.C.M. Part I Midwifery Training School — 40 Pupils (full-time).

St. Albans City Hospital, Normandy Road, St. Albans (Complete General Training School—384 beds).

Upton Hospital, Slough, Bucks. (General—211 beds). Res. or non-res.

Welwyn Garden City Maternity Hospital, Peartree Lane, Welwyn Garden City (Part II Training School—30 beds).

Whittington Hospital, Highgate Hill, London, N.19 (1,140 beds). Res. or non-res.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

Barnet General Hospital Maternity Unit (Victoria Maternity Hospital), Wood Street, Barnet, Herts. (70 beds). Res. or non-res. Vacancies for Part I Midwifery Training. Study day system in operation for schools commencing May, August and November.

Bedford General Hospital (North Wing), (Maternity Unit), Kimbolton Road, Bedford (60 beds, and 3 premature cubicles). Vacancies for Part II Midwifery Training commencing 1st March, 1st June, 1st September and 1st December, each year.

Colinswood Maternity Home, Farnham Common, Bucks. (21 beds). Res. or non-res.

Perivale Maternity Hospital, Western Avenue, Greenford, Middlesex (Modern Midwifery Training School, Part I—52 beds). Res. or non-res. Within easy access of London. S.R.N.s prepared for Part I Certificate, Central Midwives' Board. Schools 1st Feb., 1st May, 1st August, 1st November.

West Middlesex Hospital, Queen Mary Maternity Unit, Isleworth, Middlesex (100 beds, 80 cots, 15 premature cots). For Part I Training, School commencing 1st May, 1957. Each have one study day per week. Experience available on Ante-natal, Labour Wing, Lying-in Wards, Premature Wing.

West Middlesex Hospital, Chiswick Maternity Unit, Isleworth, Middlesex Res. For school commencing 1st August, 1957. Part I Training School. One study day per week.

THEATRE STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Barnet General Hospital, Barnet, Herts. (461 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N.

Bedford General Hospital (South Wing), Kempston Road, Bedford (206 beds). Res. Modern up-to-date Twin Operating Unit.

Clare Hall Hospital, South Mimms, Nr. Barnet, Herts. (Chest Hospital—409 beds). Res. or non-res.

Mount Vernon Hospital, Northwood, Middlesex (500 beds). Res. or non-res. **ONE** for General Theatres.

The Royal London Homoeopathic Hospital, Great Ormond Street, Queen Square, London, W.C.1 (General—183 beds). Res. or non-res. Similar previous experience preferable.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Abbots Langley Hospital, Abbots Langley, Nr. Watford, Herts. (Elderly Patients with psychiatric disabilities — 210 beds). Res. or non-res. Mental Nursing qualification an advantage but not essential.

Barnet General Hospital, Barnet, Herts. (461 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N.

Bedford General Hospital (North Wing), Kimbolton Road, Bedford (233 beds). Res. or non-res.

Bedford General Hospital (South Wing), Kempston Road, Bedford (206 beds). Res. or non-res.

Biggleswade Hospital, Potton Road, Biggleswade, Beds. (Chronic Sick — 46 beds). Res. or non-res.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)—Contd.

Canadian Red Cross Memorial Hospital, Taplow, Maidenhead, Berks. (General—332 beds). Res.

Clare Hall Hospital, South Mimms, Nr. Barnet, Herts. (Chest Hospital—409 beds). Res. or non-res. For Non-tuberculous Surgical Ward, S.R.N. for general duties; also with B.T.A. Cert. Allowance for continuous Tuberculosis service after six months.

Clapham Hospital, Milton Ho., Bedford (Chronic Sick—85 beds). Res. or non-res.

Finchley Memorial Hospital, Granville Road, North Finchley, London, N.12 (Acute — 76 beds, including Maternity Wards). Res. or non-res. S.R.N. for holiday relief.

Harefield Hospital, Harefield, Middx. (Chest Hospital and Regional Cardiac Thoracic Surgery—616 beds). Res. and/or T.A. Cert. only. Res. or non-res.

Hillingdon Hospital, Uxbridge, Middx. (General—621 beds). S.R.N. for Out-patient and Casualty Department, Theatres (post-graduate experience desirable, Female Tuberculosis Ward and Female Medical Wards, Male Ward; S.R.N. for night duty, S.R.N. for Female Genito-urinary Surgical Ward; **ONE,** S.R.N. with ophthalmic experience; **ONE,** S.R.N. for Male Acute Surgical and Orthopaedic Ward; **ONE,** S.R.N. preferably Part I for night duty on Children's Unit.

Hornsey Central Hospital, Park Lane, London, N.8 (60 beds). Res. or non-res.

King Edward Memorial Hospital (Clayponds Wing), Ealing, London, W.5. Res. or non-res. For Orthopaedic Ward also **ONE** for General Surgical Ward.

King Edward Memorial Hospital, Mattock Lane, Ealing, London, W.5 (General—151 beds). Res. or non-res. For Medical Wards.

King Edward VII Hospital, Windsor and Old Windsor Units, Windsor, Berks. (General—455 beds). Res. or non-res. For Geriatric Wards at Old Windsor.

Marie Curie Hospital, 66 Frognal Ave., London, N.W.3 (50 beds). Res.

Mount Pleasant Hospital, North Southall, Middlesex (Tuberculosis—beds). S.R.N. or T.A. Cert.

Mount Vernon Hospital, Northwood, Middlesex (500 beds). Res. or non-res. For Burns Unit in Plastic Centre—must be S.R.N. For Children's Ward in Centre—must be S.R.N., R.S.C.N. experienced with children. For physiotherapy, Medical and Surgical Wards must be S.R.N.

Northwood, Pinner and District Hospital, Pinner Road, Northwood, Middx. (36 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N. required.

Paddington General Hospital, Harrow Road, London, W.9 (582 beds). Res. or non-res.

Potters Bar and District Hospital, Mutton Lane, Potters Bar, Herts. (Acute—56 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N. for Wards, Theatre or O.P.D.

Queen Mary Maternity Unit (West Middlesex Hospital), Isleworth, Middx. (100 beds, 80 cots, 15 premature cots). Res. or non-res. Part I C.M.B. Part I Midwifery Training School.

St. Charles' Hospital, Ladbroke Grove, London, W.10 (General — 581 beds). Res. or non-res. For General Wards.

St. Columba's Hospital, 90 Pond Road, Hampstead, London, N.W.3 (Advanced Cases — 32 beds). Res. or non-res.

St. John's Hospital, Ampton Road, Twickenham, Middlesex (Chronic Sick). Res. or non-res.

St. John's Hospital, Kingston Road, Uxbridge, Middlesex (Fever and Chronic—138 beds). S.R.N. for new Fever Ward and **ONE,** R.F.N.

NORTH WEST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—Continued

STUDENT NURSE TRAINING

Training normally lasts **3 years for Student Nurses** and **2 years for Pupil Assistant Nurses** and an allowance of between £260-£285 a year is payable during training less £119 for board, lodging and uniform if resident. Mental Nurse Training Allowance: age 18 £305, 19 £315, 20 £330, less £119 for board, lodging and uniform if resident—Age 21 or over on entry 1st year £390, 2nd year £405, 3rd year £420, less £144 for board, lodging and uniform if resident. Four weeks paid leave per annum. For full details please apply to the **Matron of the hospital concerned.**

BARNET GENERAL HOSPITAL, WELLHOUSE LANE, BARNET, HERTS. (461 beds). Vacancies for **MALE** and **FEMALE** Student Nurses. Three years training; shift system. Resident or non-resident. Brochure sent on application.

MOUNT VERNON HOSPITAL, NORTHWOOD, MIDDLESEX. Vacancies in the Preliminary Training School, January, May and September each year. Candidates on the Supplementary Register accepted for two years.

BEDFORD GENERAL HOSPITAL (SOUTH WING), KEMPSTON ROAD, BEDFORD, offers excellent training. Lectures by Medical Staff and qualified Sister Tutors. Minimum age for entry, 18 years. **FEMALE** Students (resident). **MALE** Students (non-resident). Interested candidates may visit hospital by appointment with Matron.

HAREFIELD HOSPITAL, HAREFIELD, MIDDLESEX (616 beds). Approved by the General Nursing Council for England and Wales, and the British Tuberculosis Association Examination Committee. Students accepted for (1) General and Tuberculosis Training (four years); (2) General Training only (three years); (3) British Tuberculosis Certificate only (two years). Special allowance of £60 for Students who complete two years' training in Tuberculosis Nursing. Up-to-date hospital. Excellent facilities for nursing training.

THE ROYAL LONDON HOMOEOPATHIC HOSPITAL, GREAT ORMOND STREET AND QUEEN SQUARE, LONDON, W.C.1 (General—183 beds). **FEMALE.** Resident. Preliminary Training School commences in January, 1957.

HIGHLANDS GENERAL HOSPITAL, WINCHMORE HILL, N.21. New Training School. Student Nurses required for newly-recognised, newly-equipped General Training School. The hospital is situated in large, pleasant grounds in North London, about 45 minutes from Piccadilly and is within easy reach of the beauty spots of Hereforfdshire. Apply in writing to Matron.

CLARE HALL HOSPITAL, SOUTH MIMMS, BARNET, HERTS. (Chest Hospital—409 beds). **STUDENT NURSES.** Vacancies for well-educated girls and men, 18 years of age and over, for (a) Four-year course comprising two years at Clare Hall qualifying for Preliminary State Examination and British Tuberculosis Association Certificate, followed by two years at an affiliated general hospital to complete training for Final State Examination; or (b) Two-years' course for British Tuberculosis Association Certificate only. Training period includes first 10 weeks in Preliminary Training School (Service allowance of £60 for students who complete two years' training). This is a busy chest hospital offering all-round experience in chest surgery, with a pleasant, modern nurses' home. Roman Catholic Chaplain on staff and facilities are available for the practising of religion. Vacancies 9th January, 1957, and subsequently. Applications to the Matron.

WEST MIDDLESEX HOSPITAL, ISLEWORTH, MIDDLESEX (Large General—1,142 beds). **FEMALE,** resident or non-resident. For school commencing 7th January, 1957. Experience in Acute Medical and Surgical Wards, Tuberculosis, Paediatrics and Geriatrics, 11-weeks Preliminary Training School and five blocks of three weeks. Three years' course in General Nursing, also four year combined course for entry to General and Medical Register in conjunction with Holloway Sanatorium, Virginia Water, Surrey. Good recreational facilities.

KING EDWARD MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, EALING, LONDON, W.13 (General—155 beds). **FEMALE.** Resident. Vacancies for Women Student Nurses in Preliminary Training School starting 7th January, 1957. Block system in operation. Excellent experience in Acute Medical and Surgical Wards, Paediatrics and in large Casualty and Out-patient Departments. Supplementary Register accepted for two years' training. Hospital within easy distance of Central London.

THE WATFORD AND DISTRICT PEACE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL NURSE TRAINING SCHOOL, WATFORD, HERTS. There are vacancies for Student Nurses in the January, May and September, 1957, Training Schools. Age 18 or over. Consideration is given to all applicants with a sincere desire to nurse. Modern nurses' home. Easy access to Central London.

NATIONAL TEMPERANCE HOSPITAL, HAMPSTEAD ROAD, LONDON, N.W.1. There are vacancies for **FEMALE** Student Nurses for three years general training (shortened periods of training for applicants on the Supplementary Register). Minimum age, 18 years. Four weeks' annual leave, ample recreational facilities. Excellent opportunities for promotion after training. Further particulars and an illustrated brochure on request. Please mention this paper.

CANADIAN RED CROSS MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, TAPLOW, Nr. MAIDENHEAD, BERKS. (General—332 beds). **FEMALE.** Resident.

MENTAL NURSE TRAINING

LEAVESDEN HOSPITAL, ABBOTS LANGLEY, Nr. WATFORD, HERTS. FEMALE STUDENT NURSES from 18 years of age, required for training in mental deficiency. Roman Catholic Church in grounds.

BROMHAM HOSPITAL (FOR MENTAL DEFECTIVES), Nr. BEDFORD. MEN and **WOMEN** required to take a three year course in preparation for the General Nursing Council Examination in Mental Deficiency. Lectures by Medical Staff and qualified Tutor and Staff. Male Students can obtain deferment of National Service during training, and when called up, continue in a nursing capacity. Further particulars and brochure obtainable from Matron and Chief Male Nurse, as appropriate.

PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES

BRENTFORD HOSPITAL, BOSTON MANOR ROAD, BRENTFORD, MIDDX. In conjunction with South Middlesex Hospital, Mogden Lane, Isleworth, Middlesex. Applications invited from girls 18 years upwards, for two years training for admission to the Roll of Assistant Nurses. Preferably resident. Pupils will spend six months at South Middlesex Hospital; which includes the first month in the Preliminary Training School, commencing 1st January, 1957. Brentford hospital is a small busy general hospital with 33 beds, offering good experience and conveniently situated within easy reach of London. **Apply Matron, Brentford Hospital.**

SOUTH MIDDLESEX HOSPITAL, MOGDEN LANE, ISLEWORTH, MIDDX. FEMALE pupils accepted between the ages of 18 and 45 years for two years' Training for Roll of Assistant Nurses. School commencing 1st January, 1957. Good residential accommodation is available or candidates may be non-resident if desired. Hospital may be seen by interested candidates on application to Matron.

BARNET GROUP HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE—ASSISTANT NURSE TRAINING SCHOOL, incorporating Finchley Memorial Hospital, Granville Road, North Finchley, London, N.12; Potters Bar and District Hospital, Mutton Lane, Potters Bar, Middlesex; St. Stephen's Hospital, Mays Lane, Barnet, Herts. Applications are invited for girls interested in a two-year course, chiefly practical bedside nursing, with excellent opportunities in the future for more advanced work, if desired. Candidates may be resident or not. Apply in writing to the **Matron of any of the above hospitals** for application forms for **January** School.

WEST MIDDLESEX HOSPITAL (COMBINED TRAINING SCHOOL WITH TEDDINGTON HOSPITAL), ISLEWORTH, MIDDLESEX. FEMALE. Resident or non-resident. For school commencing 4th February, 1957. Excellent experience in geriatric nursing at West Middlesex Hospital and Acute General Nursing at Teddington Hospital.

BEDFORD GENERAL HOSPITAL (NORTH WING), KIMBOLTON ROAD, BEDFORD, offers excellent training. Lectures by Medical Staff and qualified Sister Tutors. Minimum age for entry, 18 years. **FEMALES** (resident or non-resident). **MALES** (non-resident). Interested candidates may visit hospital by appointment with Matron.

GENERAL NURSING APPOINTMENTS—(*Contd.*)

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)—Contd.

St. Monica's Hospital, Brondesbury Park, London, N.W.6 (35 beds). Day or night duty. **Apply for further particulars to Matron, Willesden General Hospital, Willesden Road, London, N.W.10.**

South Middlesex Hospital, Mogden Lane, Isleworth, Middlesex (145 beds). Res. or non-res.

Steppingley Hospital, Steppingley, Beds. (Chronic—44 beds). Res. or non-res.

Teddington, Hampton Wick and District Hospital, Hampton Road, Teddington, Middlesex (General—51 beds). Res. or non-res.

The Royal London Homoeopathic Hospital, Great Ormond Street, Queen Square, London, W.C.1 (General—183 beds). Res. or non-res. For Medical and Surgical Wards.

Uxbridge Country Hospital, Harefield Road, Uxbridge, Middlesex (General and Maternity). S.R.N.

West Middlesex Hospital, Isleworth, Middlesex (General—1,142 beds). Res. or non-res. For Children's (Surgical and Medical), Gynaecological, E.N.T. General, T.B., Medical and Surgical Wards and General Theatres.

Whittington Hospital, Highgate Hill, London, N.19 (1,140 beds). Res. or non-res.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

Canadian Red Cross Memorial Hospital, Taplow, Maidenhead, Berks. (General—332 beds). Res. For T.B. Ward.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)—Contd.

Clare Hall Hospital, South Mimms, Nr. Barnet, Herts. (Chest Hospital—409 beds). Res. or non-res. S.R.N. for general duties, also Nurses with B.T.A. Certificate. Allowance for continuous Tuberculosis service £15 every six months.

Hillingdon Hospital, Uxbridge, Middx. (General—621 beds). S.R.N. for General Wards.

King Edward Memorial Hospital, (Clayponds Wing), Ealing, London, W.13 Non-res. Orthopaedic Ward.

Mount Vernon Hospital, Northwood, Middlesex (500 beds). Non-res. For Radiotherapy, Medical and Surgical Wards, must be S.R.N.

West Middlesex Hospital, Isleworth, Middlesex (General—1,142 beds). Non-res. For Geriatric, General and T.B. Wards.

POST-GRADUATE TRAINING

Clare Hall Hospital, South Mimms, Nr. Barnet, Herts. (Chest Hospital—409 beds). **MALE** and **FEMALE.** Res. or non-res. S.R.N. for post-graduate training for B.T.A. Cert.

Res. or non-res. S.R.N. **(MALE** and **FEMALE)** for six months course in a modern Thoracic Surgical Unit. Operations performed include all types of pulmonary, cardiac and oesophageal surgery., Staff Nurses' salary. Certificate of training awarded on completion of course. Apply to Matron for full particulars.

POST-GRADUATE TRAINING—Contd.

Harefield Hospital, Harefield, Middx. (Regional Thoracic Surgical Centre). Post-graduate Training in Tuberculosis for British Tuberculosis Association Certificate. Duration of training, one year. Schools commence in February, May, August and November in each year. Particulars of curriculum sent on application to the Matron.

Mount Vernon Hospital, Northwood, Middlesex (500 beds). Res. or non-res. **S.R.N.** for Plastic Surgery and Treatment of Burns. Six months' course offered to trained Nurses. Certificate awarded.

West Middlesex Hospital, Isleworth, Middlesex (General—1,142 beds). S.R.N.s Post-graduate Course. For Ear, Nose and Throat, Plastic and Dental work. **Female** res. or non-res. **Male,** non-res.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)

Abbots Langley Hospital, Abbots Langley, Nr. Watford, Herts. (Elderly patients with psychiatric disabilities — 210 beds). Res. or non-res.

Bedford General Hospital (North Wing), Kimbolton Road, Bedford (233 beds). Res. or non-res. T.A. Certificate an advantage, for Chest Wards. Also for General and Maternity Wards.

Biggleswade Hospital, Potton Road, Biggleswade, Beds. (Chronic Sick—46 beds). Res. or non-res.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)—Contd.

Brentford Hospital, Boston Manor Road, Brentford, Middlesex (33 beds). Res. or non-res.

Clapham Hospital, Milton Hill, Nr. Bedford (Chronic Sick—85 beds). Res. or non-res.

Clare Hall Hospital, South Mimms, Nr. Barnet, Herts. (Chest Hospital — 409 beds). Res. or non-res. Allowance for continuous Tuberculosis service £15 every six months.

Colinswood Maternity Home, Farnham Common, Bucks. (21 beds). Res. or non-res.

Finchley Memorial Hospital, Granville Road, North Finchley, London, N.12 (Acute — 76 beds, including Private Wards). Res. or non-res. For night duty, Private Wards.

Harefield Hospital, Harefield, Middx. (General Training School and Training School for B.T.A. Certificate—616 beds). Res. or non-res. For the General and Chest Sections of the Hospital.

Harlington, Harmondsworth and Cranford Cottage Hospital, Sipson Lane, Harlington, Hayes, Middlesex (Maternity —14 beds). Res. or non-res.

Hillingdon Hospital, Uxbridge, Middx. (General—621 beds). For day and night duty.

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NORTH WEST METROPOLITAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—Continued

GENERAL NURSING APPOINTMENTS—(*Contd.*)

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)—Contd.

Hounslow Hospital, Staines Road, Hounslow, Middlesex (General Acute — 81 beds). Res. or non-res.

King Edward VII Hospital, Windsor and Old Windsor Units, Windsor, Berks. (General—455 beds). Res. or non-res. For Old Windsor Unit. Full or part time.

King Edward Memorial Hospital, (Clayponds Wing), Ealing, London, W.13 Res. or non-res. Orthopaedic Ward.

Mount Pleasant Hospital, North Road, Southall, Middlesex (Tuberculosis — 79 beds).

Northwood, Pinner and District Hospital, Pinner Road, Northwood, Middx. (36 beds). Res. or non-res.

Potters Bar and District Hospital, Mutton Lane, Potters Bar, Middlesex (Acute—56 beds). Res. or non-res.

Queen Mary Maternity Unit (West Middlesex Hospital), Isleworth, Middx. (100 beds, 80 cots, 15 premature cots). Res. or non-res.

St. Columba's Hospital, 98 Avenue Road, Hampstead, London, N.W.3 (For Advanced Cases—32 beds). Res. or non-res.

St. Elizabeth's, Mayfield Avenue, North Finchley, London, N.12 (Female Geriatrics—53 beds). Res. or non-res.

St. John's Hospital, Amyand Park Road, Twickenham, Middlesex (36 beds). Res. or non-res.

St. John's Hospital, Kingston Lane, Uxbridge, Middlesex (Fever and Chronic —138 beds).

St. Mark's Hospital, St. Mark's Road, Maidenhead, Berks. (Chronic Sick—169 beds). Res. or non-res.

St. Mary's Cottage Hospital, Hampton, Middlesex (Small General — 24 beds). Res. or non-res.

St. Monica's Hospital, Brondesbury Park, London, N.W.6 (35 beds). Day or night duty. **Apply for further particulars to Matron, Willesden General Hospital, Harlesden Road, London, N.W.10.**

St. Stephen's Hospital, Mays Lane, Barnet, Herts. (88 beds). Res. or non-res.

Southall-Norwood Hospital, The Green, Southall, Middlesex (Acute General — 28 beds). Res.

South Middlesex Hospital, Mogden Lane, Isleworth, Middlesex (145 beds). Res. or non-res.

Steppingley Hospital, Steppingley, Beds. (Chronic—44 beds). Res. or non-res.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (FEMALE)—Contd.

Teddington, Hampton Wick and District Hospital, Hampton Road, Teddington, Middlesex (General—51 beds). Res. or non-res.

The Royal London Homoeopathic Hospital, Great Ormond Street, Queen Square, London, W.C.1 (General—183 beds). Res. or non-res.

Uxbridge Country Hospital, Harefield Place, Uxbridge, Middlesex (General and Post-maternity).

Uxbridge Cottage Hospital, Harefield Road, Uxbridge, Middlesex (General—28 beds).

West Middlesex Hospital, Isleworth, Middlesex (General—1,142 beds). Res. or non-res. For General, T.B., Geriatric Wards.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES (MALE)

Clapham Hospital, Milton Hill, Nr. Bedford (Chronic Sick—85 beds). Non-res.

Harefield Hospital, Harefield, Middx. (General Training School and Training School for B.T.A. Certificate—616 beds). Res. or non-res. For the General and Chest Sections of the Hospital.

The Royal London Homoeopathic Hospital, Great Ormond Street, Queen Square, London, W.C.1 (General—183 beds). Non-res.

St. Mark's Hospital, St. Mark's Road, Maidenhead, Berks. (Chronic Sick—169 beds). Res. or non-res.

West Middlesex Hospital, Isleworth, Middlesex (General—1,142 beds). Non-res. For General and Geriatric Wards.

NURSING AUXILIARIES (FEMALE)

Clare Hall Hospital, South Mimms, Nr. Barnet, Herts. (Chest Hospital—409 beds). Res. or non-res. For day and night duty. Allowance for continuous Tuberculosis service £15 every six months.

Finchley Memorial Hospital, Granville Road, North Finchley, London, N.12 (Acute — 76 beds, including Private Wards). Res. or non-res. For night duty. Private Wards.

Harefield Hospital, Harefield, Middx. (General Training School and Training School for B.T.A. Certificate—616 beds). Res. or non-res. For the General and Chest Sections of the Hospital.

NURSING AUXILIARIES (FEMALE)—Contd.

King Edward VII Hospital, Windsor and Old Windsor Units, Windsor, Berks. (General—455 beds). Res. or non-res. For Old Windsor Unit. Full or part-time.

Mount Vernon Hospital, Northwood, Middlesex (500 beds). Res. or non-res. For Plastic Centre and Burns Unit. Some nursing experience essential.

Northwood, Pinner and District Hospital, Pinner Road, Northwood, Middx. (36 beds). Res. or non-res.

St. Elizabeth's, Mayfield Avenue, North Finchley, London, N.12 (Female Geriatrics—53 beds). Res. or non-res.

NURSING AUXILIARIES (FEMALE)—Contd.

South Middlesex Hospital, Mogden Lane, Isleworth, Middlesex (145 beds). Res. or non-res.

West Middlesex Hospital, Isleworth, Middlesex (General—1,142 beds). Res. or non-res. For Geriatric Wards.

NURSING AUXILIARIES (MALE)

Harefield Hospital, Harefield, Middx. (General Training School and Training School for B.T.A. Certificate—616 beds). Res. or non-res. For the General and Chest Sections of the hospital.

MENTAL NURSING APPOINTMENTS

WARD SISTERS

Napsbury Mental Hospital, Nr. St. Albans, Herts. (2,020 beds). Res. or non-res. R.M.N. or R.M.P.A.

"Normansfield", Teddington, Middlesex (Mental Deficiency—238 beds). Res. or non-res.

DEPUTY SISTERS

Bromham Hospital, Bromham, Nr. Bedford (Mental Deficiency—434 beds). Res. or non-res. R.M.P.A. or State Mental Deficiency Certificate. Two very modern and well-equipped pavilions just completed.

Leavesden Hospital, Abbots Langley, Nr. Watford, Herts. (Mental Hospital and Mental Deficiency Institution — 2,076 beds). Res. or non-res. R.M.P.A. or State Mental Deficiency Certificate.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

Bromham Hospital, Bromham, Nr. Bedford (Mental Deficiency—434 beds). Res. or non-res. Mental Deficiency qualification essential. Two very modern and well-equipped pavilions just completed.

Central Middlesex Hospital, Park Royal, London, N.W.10 (Psychiatric Unit of 16 beds). Res. or non-res. R.M.N. or R.M.P.A.

Friern Hospital, New Southgate, London, N.11 (For Nervous and Mental Disorders—1,402 beds). Res. or non-res.

Napsbury Mental Hospital, Nr. St. Albans, Herts. (2,020 beds). Res. or non-res. R.M.N. or R.M.P.A.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

Bromham Hospital, Bromham, Nr. Bedford (Mental Deficiency—434 beds). Res. or non-res. Three modern and well-equipped pavilions just completed.

NURSING ASSISTANTS (FEMALE)

Bromham Hospital, Bromham, Nr. Bedford (Mental Deficiency—434 beds). Res. or non-res.

Friern Hospital, New Southgate, London, N.11 (For Nervous and Mental Disorders). Res. or non-res. Preference with one year's experience.

"Normansfield", Teddington, Middlesex (Mental Deficiency—238 beds). Res. or non-res.

West Middlesex Hospital, Isleworth, Middlesex (General—1,142 beds). Res. or non-res. For Psychiatric Unit.

NURSING ASSISTANTS (MALE)

Bromham Hospital, Bromham, Nr. Bedford (Mental Deficiency—434 beds). Res. or non-res. Three modern and well-equipped pavilions just completed.

Hasells Hall, Nr. Sandy, Beds. (Mental Deficiency—60 beds). Res. or non-res. **Apply Chief Male Nurse, Bromham Hospital, Bromham, Nr. Bedford.**

"Normansfield", Teddington, Middlesex (Mental Deficiency—238 beds). Res. or non-res.

West Middlesex Hospital, Isleworth, Middlesex (General—1,142 beds). Res. or non-res. For Psychiatric Unit.

KING'S COLLEGE HOSPITAL DENMARK HILL, S.E.5.

Applications are invited for the post of **Sister-in-Charge** of the Second Floor Private Patients' Wing. General, medical and surgical patients and a few maternity patients.
Applicants must be S.R.N. and S.C.M.
Apply Matron. (3265)

THE UNITED LEEDS HOSPITALS THE HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN AT LEEDS

Two Ward Sisters and **Staff Nurses** required. This unit consists of 103 beds.
Applications stating age, previous experience and three names for reference, should be sent to the Matron, the General Infirmary at Leeds. (3276)

UNITED LIVERPOOL HOSPITALS THE WOMEN'S HOSPITAL LIVERPOOL, 8

Ward Sister required. S.R.N., Part I Midwifery essential.
Apply with full particulars to Matron. (3303)

THE UNITED LEEDS HOSPITALS THE MATERNITY HOSPITAL AT LEEDS HYDE TERRACE, LEEDS, 2

Applications are invited for the post of **Midwifery Sister.** Resident or non-resident. Salary according to Whitley Council scale.
Apply to Matron. (3336)

UNITED MANCHESTER HOSPITALS MANCHESTER ROYAL INFIRMARY

Applications are invited for the appointment of **Ward Sister,** S.R.N. and preferably S.R.M.N. in the Psychiatric Unit (19 beds) Manchester Royal Infirmary.
Apply to the Matron, from whom further particulars can be obtained. Details of training and names of two referees, should be submitted. (3410)

DUNDEE INFANT HOSPITAL

Applications invited from Registered General Nurses, preferably with R.S.C.N., for appointment as **Resident Departmental Sister** or **Ward Sister.**
Whitley conditions.
Apply with full particulars and names of two referees to Matron. (3398)

VICTORIA HOSPITAL FOR CHILDREN TITE STREET, CHELSEA, S.W.3.

Applications are invited for the post of **Sister** of the Cubicle Unit of the above hospital. 25 medical cots. Candidates must hold S.R.N. and R.S.C.N. Certificates.
Apply to Matron for application form and further particulars. (3411)

VICTORIA HOSPITAL FOR CHILDREN TITE STREET, CHELSEA, S.W.3.

Surgical Ward Sister required for the above hospital. S.R.N. and R.S.C.N. essential.
Apply to Matron for application form and further particulars. (3412)

THE UNITED LEEDS HOSPITALS THE GENERAL INFIRMARY AT LEEDS

State Registered Nurses required for night duty and day duty on newly-opened Metabolic Ward.
Please apply to the Matron, The General Infirmary at Leeds, giving details of training and experience, together with age, and three names for reference. (3278)

UNITED OXFORD HOSPITALS CHURCHILL HOSPITAL HEADINGTON, OXFORD

THORACIC SURGICAL WARD

Applications are invited from **State Registered Nurses** for vacancies in the above ward. Experience gained in both Thoracic and Cardiac Nursing care.
Apply to Matron. (3368)

WESTMINSTER HOSPITAL TEACHING GROUP

ST. JOHN'S GARDENS LONDON, S.W.1

Applications are invited for the appointment of **Staff Midwife** for the general and private maternity wards. **District Midwife.**
Applications, with details of training, qualifications and experience, together with two Matrons' names for reference should be sent to the Matron. (3431)

UNITED OXFORD HOSPITALS CHURCHILL HOSPITAL HEADINGTON, OXFORD

STAFF MIDWIVES

Applications are invited from **Staff Midwives** for vacancies in the Part II Midwifery School.
Apply to Matron for further particulars. (87)

THE ROYAL MARSDEN HOSPITAL FULHAM ROAD, LONDON, S.W.3.

Vacancies for **Trained Nurses** (resident or non-resident) who wish to gain experience in major surgery and treatment by radium and radiotherapy; also experience in the treatment of diagnostic investigation with radioactive Isotopes.
In order to assist the Research Department it is essential to have adequate staff of trained nurses on the wards. Salary in accordance with the Whitley Council Scale.
For further particulars apply to Matron. (45)

UNITED OXFORD HOSPITALS RADCLIFFE INFIRMARY

Vacancies exist for **Staff Midwives** in the Part I Midwifery School. Excellent experience gained in all departments.
Please apply to Matron, giving two names for reference purposes. (21)

THE UNITED BIRMINGHAM HOSPITALS

THE BIRMINGHAM MATERNITY HOSPITAL LOVEDAY STREET, BIRMINGHAM

Staff Midwives, S.R.N., S.C.M. or non-resident required.
Facilities available for attendance of instruction for Midwife-Tutor if desirous.
Applications to the Matron.

NATIONAL HEART HOSPITAL WESTMORELAND STREET, W. MAIDS MORETON, BUCKINGHAM

Post-graduate Teaching Hospital

Staff Nurses and **State Enrolled Nurses** required for London and Branch Hospitals.
Apply Matron, Westmoreland Street.

HAMPSTEAD GENERAL HOSPITAL THE GREEN, HAMPSTEAD LONDON, N.W.3

Senior Staff Nurse required. Experience in all types of practice essential.
Apply, stating age, previous experience and with two names for reference, to Matron.

KING'S COLLEGE HOSPITAL DENMARK HILL, S.E.5

Applications are invited for **Staff Midwife,** general and private.
Facilities granted for taking the Teachers' Course.
Apply Matron, giving details of age and experience.

PLEASE MENTION "THE NURSING TIMES" WHEN ANSWERING ITS ADVERTISEMENTS

LIVERPOOL REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

Applications should be sent, with details of age, qualifications, training, experience, and accompanied by copies of two recent testimonials (or the names of two referees), to the MATRON OF THE HOSPITAL CONCERNED, from whom further details may be obtained. Salaries are in accordance with National scales.

SOUTHPORT, ORMSKIRK AND DISTRICT

SISTER TUTOR

Southport General Infirmary, Scarisbrick New Road, Southport. Assistant Sister Tutor to Senior Sister Tutor (res. or non-res.) for Southport School of Nursing. Good teaching facilities in pleasant surroundings. Salary £630—£730 p.a., less £193 for board, etc., if resident. Applicants should be S.R.N. and hold Sister Tutor Certificate. Apply stating age, qualifications and experience to Matron.

NIGHT SISTERS

Ormskirk County Hospital (Establishment of three).

WARD SISTERS

Victoria Hospital, 20 Park Road, Southport (Geriatric).

THEATRE SISTER OR STAFF NURSE

Ormskirk County Hospital.

JUNIOR SISTERS

Southport Promenade Hospital. For night duty.

JUNIOR SISTERS or STAFF NURSES

Ormskirk County Hospital.
Maghull Hospital, Maghull, Lancs. (Night duty).

RELIEF SISTER

Ormskirk General Hospital (Permanent post).

MIDWIFERY SISTER

St. Katherine's Maternity Hospital, Lathom Road, Southport.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS AND STAFF MIDWIVES

Ormskirk County Hospital.

STAFF NURSES

Southport Promenade Hospital. Male Medical Wards.
New Hall Hospital, Scarisbrick, Nr. Southport (T.B. and I.D.).
Ormskirk Mental Hospital (Female).

STAFF MIDWIFE

St. Katherine's Maternity Hospital, Lathom Road, Southport.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

Ormskirk County Hospital.
Ormskirk General Hospital. Female. Resident or non-resident.
Promenade Hospital, Southport.
Maghull Hospital, Maghull, Lancs.
St. Katherine's Maternity Hospital, Lathom Road, Southport.

STUDENT NURSES

Southport General Infirmary, Scarisbrick New Road (General Training three years).

PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES

Ormskirk County Hospital (Male and Female).
Fleetwood Road Hospital, Southport (S.E.A.N. Training—two years). Vacancies for men and women.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

Ormskirk County Hospital (Part II Training). For March or June.

ST. HELENS, WARRINGTON AND DISTRICT

SISTER TUTORS

Whiston Hospital, Prescot (892 beds). Complete General Training School. Applicants should hold recognised qualifications.
St. Helens Hospital (196 beds). For Preliminary Training School.

SISTERS-IN-CHARGE (Departmental Sister)

Whiston Hospital, Prescot. To take charge of 34 beds for chest diseases in Delph Lane Hospital, adjoining Whiston Hospital. The salary will be that of Departmental Sister. Applications to Matron, Whiston Hospital, Prescot.
Whiston Hospital, Prescot (892 beds). Suitably qualified S.R.N. to take charge of Consultative Clinic, covering 15 specialities.

SISTER

Warrington General Hospital (344 beds). Required for a busy Maternity Unit of 40 beds. S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

WARD SISTERS

Whiston Hospital, Prescot (892 beds). For Female Geriatric and Medical Wards.
Delph Lane Hospital, Whiston, Prescot (34 beds). Hospital for Chest Diseases.

DEPUTY WARD SISTER

Whitecross Hospital (236 beds). Required for M.D. Unit. Non-resident.

THEATRE SISTER

Whiston Hospital, Prescot (892 beds).

STAFF MIDWIVES

Warrington General Hospital (344 beds, 40 Maternity beds). Part II Midwifery Training School. Busy Maternity Unit.

STAFF NURSES

Warrington Infirmary (172 beds). Required for surgical and medical wards. Resident or non-resident.
Whiston Hospital, Prescot (892 beds).

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

Whiston Hospital, Prescot (892 beds). Full-time, resident or non-resident, or part-time.
Delph Lane Hospital, Whiston, Prescot (34 beds). Hospital for Chest Diseases. Full-time, resident or non-resident, or part-time.

STUDENT NURSES

Warrington Hospitals Training School for Nurses. Combined Training School.
Warrington General Hospital (344 beds).
Warrington Infirmary (172 beds). Girls with a good standard of education are accepted for three years' general training from the age of 18 years. Students whose names are on the Supplementary part of the State Register are accepted for two years training. Modern Nurses' Home, single bedrooms. The Training Schools commence on 1st January, 1957, 1st April, 1957, 1st July, 1957. Forms of application and other information are obtainable from the Matron and Superintendent of the Training School, Warrington General Hospital.
Whiston Hospital, Prescot (892 beds). Training commences 1st January and 1st April, 1957. The hospital has good residential accommodation and gives a complete general training in modern departments. Apply immediately.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

Whiston Hospital, Prescot (Maternity Unit—73 beds). Part I Training commencing 1st February, 1957.
Warrington General Hospital (344 beds; 40 Maternity beds). Part II Midwifery Training. Six months' course (combining) three months experience in hospital, three months on district. Resident in Nurses' Home six months. Course commences 1st March, 1957, 1st June, 1957, 1st September, 1957.

CHESHIRE AND WEST CHESHIRE

ASSISTANT MATRON

Clatterbridge Hospital, Bebington, Cheshire (819 beds) which is a Training School for S.R.N., S.E.A.N., and S.C.M. A Cadet Scheme is in operation. The hospital which is modern and rapidly expanding, is situated in pleasant surroundings within easy access of Chester, Liverpool and North Wales. Application forms obtainable from Matron, should be returned by 21st January, 1957.

SISTERS

Clatterbridge Hospital, Bebington, Cheshire (819 beds). Required to take charge of E.N.T. Department. Application forms obtainable from Matron, should be returned as soon as possible.

LIVERPOOL AND DISTRICT

ASSISTANT MATRONS

Bootle Maternity Home, 51 Balliol Road, Liverpool, 20 (12 beds). Resident. Will act as Day Sister, deputising for Matron. Scale £570—£700.

NIGHT SISTER IN SOLE CHARGE

John Bagot Hospital, Liverpool, 5. E.N.T. and medical convalescent patients. Four nights duty per week.

WARD SISTERS

Walton Hospital, Liverpool, 9. Resident or non-resident.
Rathbone Hospital, Mill Lane, Liverpool, 13. For relief duties.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

Walton Hospital, Liverpool, 9. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF MIDWIVES

Walton Hospital, Liverpool, 9. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF NURSES

Walton Hospital, Liverpool, 9. Resident or non-resident. Especially for Theatres and T.B. Wards.
Rathbone Hospital, Mill Lane, Liverpool, 13. General or Fever trained.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

Walton Hospital, Liverpool, 9.

STUDENT NURSES

Sefton General Hospital, Liverpool, 15 (Post-registration). Male and female, for General and Mental Training.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

Walton Hospital, Liverpool, 9. Resident or non-resident. Part I only.

BIRKENHEAD AND WALLASEY

WARD SISTER

St. Catherine's Hospital, Annexe, 56 Church Road, Birkenhead. For duties on the Geriatric Wards. The post offers an interesting and rewarding career in modern treatment of the elderly and the department is being developed under the direction of a full-time consultant physician.

STAFF NURSES

St. Catherine's Hospital, Annexe, 56 Church Road, Birkenhead. For duties on the Geriatric Wards. The post offers an interesting and rewarding career in modern treatment of the elderly and the department is being developed under the direction of a full-time consultant physician.

MALE STAFF NURSES

Birkenhead Mental Hospital. For wards which have recently been upgraded and modernised.

ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

St. Catherine's Hospital, Annexe, 56 Church Road, Birkenhead. For duties on the Geriatric Wards. The post offers an interesting and rewarding career in modern treatment of the elderly and the department is being developed under the direction of a full-time consultant physician.

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ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT PRINCESS LOUISE KENSINGTON HOSPITAL FOR CHILDREN AND PADDINGTON GREEN CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL

Vacancies occur in January, April and July for girls of 18 years and over to be **Registered Sick Children's Nurses.** Nurses accepted for two year course. Apply for brochure and application form to Matron, Princess Louise Kensington Hospital for Children, St. Quintin Avenue, London, W.10. (26)

KING'S COLLEGE HOSPITAL TEACHING GROUP
BELGRAVE HOSPITAL FOR CHILDREN

Staff Nurses required (1) for Out-patient Department (2) for Theatre. R.S.C.N. preferred, S.R.N. will be considered.
Apply to Matron, Belgrave Hospital for Children, Clapham Road, London, S.W.9. (3218)

CITY OF BIRMINGHAM
CROPWOOD RESIDENTIAL OPEN-AIR SCHOOL, BLACKWELL, Nr. BROMSGROVE

State Registered General Trained, or Registered Sick Children's Nurse, required for this school, which accommodates 80 delicate girls from 5 to 16 years.

Salary S.R.N. £485 x £20—£605 x £5—£610 p.a., less £164 p.a. repayment for board and lodging.

The appointment is subject to passing a medical examination and to the conditions of the Local Government Superannuation Act.

Application forms obtainable from the undersigned (Special Services), and should be returned within fourteen days of the appearance of this advertisement.

E. L. RUSSELL,
Chief Education Officer,
Education Office, Margaret St., Birmingham, 3
December, 1956. (3422)

THE UNITED LEEDS HOSPITALS
THE MATERNITY HOSPITAL AT LEEDS
HYDE TERRACE, LEEDS, 2

Applications are invited for the post of **Staff Midwife.** Resident or non-resident. Salary according to Whitley Council scale. Apply to Matron. (3337)

THE UNITED BIRMINGHAM HOSPITALS
THE CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL

There are vacancies for two **Staff Nurses** in the Theatres.

Applications with full details of training and experience and names of two referees, to Matron, Children's Hospital, Birmingham, 16. (3312)

THE ELIZABETH GARRETT ANDERSON HOSPITAL
EUSTON ROAD, LONDON, N.W.1
(Royal Free Hospital Group)

Theatre Staff Nurse required. Resident. Apply with full particulars of training and experience, giving names and addresses of two referees to Matron. (3342)

UNITED OXFORD HOSPITALS
CHURCHILL HOSPITAL
HEADINGTON, OXFORD

STAFF NURSE—RADIOTHERAPY WARD

Applications are invited from State Registered Nurses for vacancies in the Radiotherapy Ward of the above hospital. Further particulars from Matron. (3369)

UNITED OXFORD HOSPITALS
CHURCHILL HOSPITAL
HEADINGTON, OXFORD

THEATRE STAFF NURSES

Applications are invited from State Registered Nurses with theatre experience, for the post of **Theatre Staff Nurse.**

The hospital is one of the group serving the medical school. The post offers good experience in Gynaecological, Thoracic, Plastic, Neurological and General Surgery. Further particulars from Matron. (3370)

BIRMINGHAM REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

On behalf of the Hospital Management Committee, applications are invited for the following appointments and should be sent, to[illegible] with details of age, qualifications, training, experience, and the names of two referees (or copies of two recent testimonials) to the M[illegible] of the appropriate hospital (except where otherwise stated), from whom further details may be obtained. Salaries are in accordance [illegible] the appropriate National Scales.

BIRMINGHAM AND DISTRICT

SISTER TUTOR

LITTLE BROMWICH GENERAL HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 9 (General and Fever Training School—700 beds). **Assistant Sister Tutor.** Resident or non-resident.

HOME SISTER

HALLAM HOSPITAL, WEST BROMWICH (454 beds). Assistant Home Sister.

NIGHT SISTERS

BIRMINGHAM & MIDLAND EAR & THROAT HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 3 (E.N.T.—76 beds). Required for sole charge.

HALLAM HOSPITAL, WEST BROMWICH (454 beds). Junior Night Sister for general part of the hospital.

LITTLE BROMWICH GENERAL HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 9 (General and Fever Training School—700 beds). Resident or non-resident.

THEATRE SISTERS

DUDLEY ROAD HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 18 (General—650 beds. Maternity—141 beds. Premature Baby Unit).

WALSALL MANOR HOSPITAL (General—301 beds. Maternity—32 beds).

YARDLEY GREEN HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 9 (413 beds, including Surgical Unit, Orthopaedic and Children's Wards).

SISTERS

BIRMINGHAM AND MIDLAND EYE HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 3 (Ophthalmic—156 beds). Ward Sister for 30-bedded floor. Ophthalmic Certificate or experience essential.

DUDLEY ROAD HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 18 (General—650 beds. Maternity—141 beds. Premature Baby Unit). For Children's Medical Ward—22 beds. S.R.N. and R.S.C.N.

LITTLE BROMWICH GENERAL HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 9 (General and Fever Training School—700 beds). S.R.N. and R.F.N. Resident or non-resident.

MIDLAND HOSPITAL, EASTCOTE GRANGE, Nr. HAMPTON-IN-ARDEN. Ward Sisters. Full/part-time. Full-time posts resident/non-resident.

SUMMERFIELD HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 18 (Chronic Sick and Geriatric —1,066 beds). **Ward Sisters.** Resident or non-resident.

WEST HEATH HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 31 (Pulmonary Tuberculosis—210 beds). Ward Sister for Male Ward. Also Out-patient Sister.

YARDLEY GREEN HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM 9 (413 beds, including Surgical Unit, Orthopaedic and Children's Wards). Ward Sister.

STAFF NURSES

HALLAM HOSPITAL, WEST BROMWICH (454 beds). For Gynaecological Department. Excellent experience in theatre work.

LITTLE BROMWICH GENERAL HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 9 (General and Fever Training School—700 beds). Staff Nurses: one for Metabolic Ward; one for Ophthalmic Ward; one R.F.N.; and one for Out-patient Department. Resident or non-resident.

SUMMERFIELD HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 18 (Chronic Sick and Geriatric —1,066 beds). **Male and female.**

SUTTON COLDFIELD HOSPITAL (General—54 beds). For Wards. Day or night duty. Resident or non-resident.

THE SKIN HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 15 (Dermatology—59 beds). Male or female, for Male Ward (female, resident). Also one for In-patients' Department and one for Out-patients' Department.

WALSALL MANOR HOSPITAL (General—301 beds. Maternity—32 beds). Staff Nurses; also Theatre Staff Nurse.

WEST HEATH HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 31 (Pulmonary Tuberculosis—210 beds). Male or female. S.R.N. or B.T.A. Certificate. Facilities for taking B.T.A. Certificate. Resident or non-resident.

YARDLEY GREEN HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 9 (413 beds, including Surgical Unit, Orthopaedic and Children's Wards). S.R.N. or B.T.A. for Operating Theatre. Resident or non-resident.

POST-GRADUATE COURSES

BIRMINGHAM AND MIDLAND EYE HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 3 (Ophthalmic—156 beds). Immediate vacancies for S.R.N.s to qualify for the Diploma of the Ophthalmic Nursing Board. Curriculum covers one year, with status of Staff Nurse

HALLAM HOSPITAL, WEST BROMWICH (454 beds). **Trained Nurses** for six months course in premature baby nursing. Modern department and nurses' home.

LITTLE BROMWICH GENERAL HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 9 (General and Fever Training School—700 beds). S.R.N.s for one year's post-graduate course in fevers. Resident or non-resident.

MARSTON GREEN MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Nr. BIRMINGHAM (140 beds). Applications invited from trained Nurses desirous of taking a course of training in the care of premature babies. Vacancies occur December, March, June and September. S.R.N., R.S.C.N. and S.C.M. accepted. A certificate given at the completion of six months' training.

MIDLAND CENTRE FOR NEUROSURGERY, SMETHWICK, Nr. BIRMINGHAM (75 beds). **Staff Nurses** for six months' course in neurosurgical and neurological nursing. Certificate awarded. Resident or non-resident. Apply to Matron for brochure.

YARDLEY GREEN HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 9 (413 beds, including Surgical Unit, Orthopaedic and Children's Wards). General trained Nurses for one year's training for B.T.A. Certificate.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

BIRMINGHAM & MIDLAND EAR & THROAT HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 3 (76 beds). Full or part-time for night duty.

MARSTON GREEN MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Nr. BIRMINGHAM (140 beds).

SUMMERFIELD HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 18 (Chronic Sick and Geriatric —1,066 beds). **Male and female.** Day and night duty.

BIRMINGHAM AND DISTRICT—Contd.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES—Continued

SUTTON COLDFIELD HOSPITAL (General—54 beds). Day or night [illegible] Resident or non-resident.

THE SKIN HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 15 (Dermatology—59 beds). [illegible] or female. Full-time. Resident or non-resident.

WEST HEATH HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 31 (Pulmonary Tubercu[illegible] 210 beds). Male or female. Resident or non-resident.

YARDLEY GREEN HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 9 (413 beds, in[illegible] Surgical Unit, Orthopaedic and Children's Wards). Resident or non-residen[illegible]

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

DUDLEY ROAD HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 18 (General—650 [illegible] Maternity—141 beds. Premature Baby Unit).

HALLAM HOSPITAL, WEST BROMWICH (454 beds). For [illegible] Maternity Unit.

VICTORIA HOSPITAL, LICHFIELD (General—34 beds. Maternity—11 [illegible] Resident or non-resident.

WALSALL MANOR HOSPITAL (General—301 beds. Maternity—32 [illegible]

STAFF MIDWIVES

DUDLEY ROAD HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 18 (General—650 [illegible] Maternity—141 beds. Premature Baby Unit).

HALLAM HOSPITAL, WEST BROMWICH (454 beds). For [illegible] Maternity Unit.

HEATHFIELD ROAD MATERNITY HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM [illegible] (50 beds. Premature Baby Unit). Resident or non-resident. Part II Tr[illegible] School.

SORRENTO MATERNITY HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 13 (Part I Tr[illegible] School). To work in all midwifery departments. Six months' training i[illegible] of premature baby given, if requested, to S.C.M.s and R.S.C.N.s.

WALSALL MANOR HOSPITAL (General—301 beds. Maternity—32 [illegible]

PUPIL MIDWIVES

HALLAM HOSPITAL, WEST BROMWICH (454 beds). For modern Mi[illegible] Training School (separate Premature Baby Unit). Study day per week. [illegible] course commences 1st February, 1957, and every three months.

HEATHFIELD ROAD MATERNITY HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 19 (5[illegible] Premature Baby Unit). Period II Midwifery Training School. Instruction [illegible] gas and air analgesia. Vacancies occur each month. Training: three mon[illegible] hospital followed by three months district.

MARSTON GREEN MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Nr. BIRMINGHAM (14[illegible] Complete Midwifery Training School. S.R.N. only accepted for 12 months' [illegible] of training. The course includes 14 days in the school, instruction in gas [illegible] analgesia. Three months district. Schools February, May, August and No[illegible] Pupil Midwives accepted for Second Period training. S.R.N. or non[illegible] schools commence December, March, June and September.

SORRENTO MATERNITY HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 13 (Part I Tr[illegible] School). Schools commence 1st Feb., 1st May, 1st Aug., 1st Nov. Exp[illegible] in Premature Baby Unit.

WALSALL MANOR HOSPITAL (General—301 beds. Maternity—32 [illegible] **Part II.**

NURSING AUXILIARIES

MIDLAND HOSPITAL, EASTCOTE GRANGE, Nr. HAMPTON-IN-A[illegible] Full/part-time. Full-time posts resident/non-resident.

WEST HEATH HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 31 (Pulmonary Tubercu[illegible] 210 beds). Resident or non-resident.

YARDLEY GREEN HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 9 (413 beds, in[illegible] Surgical Unit, Orthopaedic and Children's Wards). Resident or non-residen[illegible]

SHROPSHIRE

ASSISTANT MATRON

ROYAL SALOP INFIRMARY GROUP TRAINING SCHOOL, SHREWS[illegible] (General—504 beds). For Royal Salop Infirmary and Monkmoor Children's [illegible]

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTER

EYE, EAR AND THROAT HOSPITAL, SHREWSBURY (67 beds). In[illegible]

NIGHT SISTERS

CROSS HOUSES HOSPITAL, Nr. SHREWSBURY (174 beds, in[illegible] 34 Maternity). Relief Night Sister for Maternity Department.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

CLUN COTTAGE HOSPITAL, Nr. CRAVEN ARMS (Maternity—[illegible] Resident.

STAFF MIDWIVES

CROSS HOUSES HOSPITAL, Nr. SHREWSBURY (174 beds. in[illegible] 34 Maternity).

STAFFORDSHIRE

DEPARTMENTAL SISTER

WORDSLEY HOSPITAL, Nr. STOURBRIDGE, WORCS. (Acute—[illegible] Midwifery Sister for 34-bedded unit. General Practitioner beds. Residen[illegible]

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

WORDSLEY HOSPITAL, Nr. STOURBRIDGE, WORCS. (Acute—[illegible] Male (non-resident) and female (resident or non-resident) for Acute M[illegible] Surgical Wards and Plastic Unit.

BIRMINGHAM REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—(Contd.)

STOKE-ON-TRENT AND DISTRICT

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT

HAYWOOD HOSPITAL, TUNSTALL (96 beds including 30 Maternity). S.R.N., S.C.M.

HOME SISTER

CITY GENERAL HOSPITAL, STOKE-ON-TRENT (845 beds).

NIGHT SISTERS

BIDDULPH GRANGE ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL (Children's Orthopaedic—104 beds). S.R.N. or R.S.C.N. (orthopaedic experience preferred).
NORTH STAFFS ROYAL INFIRMARY, HARTSHILL, STOKE-ON-TRENT (455 beds). For Private Patients' Department.

THEATRE SISTERS

NORTH STAFFS ROYAL INFIRMARY, HARTSHILL, STOKE-ON-TRENT (455 beds). For General Hospital—one of three working under Theatre Superintendent.

SISTERS

BIDDULPH GRANGE ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL, STOKE-ON-TRENT (Children's Orthopaedic—104 beds). **Ward Sister,** S.R.N. R.S.C.N. desirable but not essential. Previous experience orthopaedic nursing.
BUCKNALL ISOLATION HOSPITAL (202 beds). **Ward Sister,** S.R.N., R.F.N.
HAYWOOD HOSPITAL, TUNSTALL (96 beds). Ward Sister for Surgical Wards.
LEEK MEMORIAL HOSPITAL (27 beds). **Ward Sister,** S.R.N.
LONGTON HOSPITAL, STOKE-ON-TRENT (55 beds). Ward Sister, S.R.N., for Female Surgical Ward.
NORTH STAFFS ROYAL INFIRMARY, HARTSHILL (455 beds). Ward Sisters, S.R.N., one for Ophthalmic Unit. O.N.C. desirable, but not essential, and one for Female Medical Ward. Also Ward Sister for Ear, Nose and Throat Unit, and one S.R.N., R.S.C.N., for Children's Ward.

HOLIDAY RELIEF SISTERS

CHESHIRE JOINT SANATORIUM, Nr. MARKET DRAYTON (305 beds). Ward Sister.

STAFF NURSES

BAGNALL HOSPITAL (Child T.B.—56 beds). S.R.N.
BRADWELL HOSPITAL, CHESTERTON, NEWCASTLE-UNDER-LYME. S.R.N. T.A. desirable. Resident or non-resident.
BUCKNALL ISOLATION HOSPITAL (202 beds). S.R.N. **Male and female.** For Chronic Ward.
CHEADLE HOSPITAL, STAFFS. (Chronic—82 beds).
CHESHIRE JOINT SANATORIUM, Nr. MARKET DRAYTON (T.B.—100 beds). S.R.N.s to take one year's course for the British T.A. Certificate. Excellent experience in modern methods of treatment and thoracic surgery nursing.
CITY GENERAL HOSPITAL, STOKE-ON-TRENT. For General Wards and Children's Ward.
GROUNDSLOW HOSPITAL, TITTENSOR, Nr. STOKE-ON-TRENT (T.B.—110 beds). Male and female.
HAYWOOD HOSPITAL, TUNSTALL (96 beds). S.R.N. for Theatre and Surgical Wards. Also S.R.N. for Children's Ward and for Casualty Department.
LIMES MATERNITY HOSPITAL, HARTSHILL (46 beds). Two required. For Premature Baby Unit.
NORTH STAFFORDSHIRE ROYAL INFIRMARY, HARTSHILL (455 beds). For Private Patients' Block. Also for General Wards and Departments. Resident or non-resident.
ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL, HARTSHILL. S.R.N.s.
STANFIELD SANATORIUM, TUNSTALL (71 beds). S.R.N.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

BAGNALL HOSPITAL (Child T.B.—56 beds). Female.
BRADWELL HOSPITAL, NEWCASTLE-UNDER-LYME (T.B.—44 beds).
BUCKNALL ISOLATION HOSPITAL (202 beds). Male and female for Chronic Ward.
CHEADLE HOSPITAL, STAFFS. (Chronic—82 beds).
GROUNDSLOW HOSPITAL, TITTENSOR, Nr. STOKE-ON-TRENT (T.B.—110 beds).
HAYWOOD HOSPITAL, TUNSTALL (Acute General). For duties in Maternity Department.
LEEK MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, STAFFS. (27 beds). Female.
STANFIELD SANATORIUM, TUNSTALL (71 beds).
WESTCLIFFE HOSPITAL, TUNSTALL (Chronic—213 beds). **Two required. Male.**

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

FANNY DEAKIN MATERNITY HOSPITAL, CHESTERTON, NEWCASTLE-UNDER-LYME (16 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M.
HAYWOOD HOSPITAL, TUNSTALL. S.R.N., S.C.M.

STAFF MIDWIVES

CITY GENERAL HOSPITAL, STOKE-ON-TRENT (Maternity Unit—60 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. **Apply Matron, Limes Maternity Hospital,** Hartshill, Stoke-on-Trent.
HAYWOOD HOSPITAL, TUNSTALL (Acute General). S.R.N., S.C.M. for modern Maternity Unit of 30 beds.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

CITY GENERAL HOSPITAL, STOKE-ON-TRENT (General and Maternity—845 beds). Complete Training School, Parts I and II. **Part I at The City General Hospital.** Study day system of training. S.R.N. and non-S.R.N. pupils accepted for six and eighteen months' training respectively. **Part II at The Limes Maternity Hospital (44 beds). Gas and Air Analgesia** training available at both hospitals. Applications for both Part I and Part II to the **Matron, The Limes Maternity Hospital, Hartshill, Stoke-on-Trent.**

COVENTRY AND DISTRICT

NIGHT SISTER

COVENTRY AND WARWICKSHIRE HOSPITAL, COVENTRY (General—341 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

COVENTRY AND WARWICKSHIRE HOSPITAL, COVENTRY (General—341 beds). Part II Training School. Vacancies exist for 1st March, 1st June, 1st September and 1st December, 1957.

WORCESTERSHIRE

DEPARTMENTAL SISTER

MALVERN GENERAL HOSPITAL, (General—17 beds). For theatre and out-patients' department. Resident.

NIGHT SISTERS

AVONSIDE HOSPITAL, EVESHAM (Long-stay and Maternity—260 beds). Assistant Nurse Training School. In sole charge. Also Night Sister.
EVESHAM GENERAL HOSPITAL (50 beds). In sole charge.
KYRE PARK HOSPITAL, Nr. TENBURY WELLS (Primary Tuberculosis in Children—66 beds).
MALVERN GENERAL HOSPITAL (General—22 beds). In sole charge. Non-resident.
RONKSWOOD HOSPITAL, WORCESTER (General—251 beds. Maternity—50 beds). For busy abnormal midwifery unit. Excellent experience.

SISTERS

EVESHAM GENERAL HOSPITAL, EVESHAM (General—50 beds). Sister for casualty and theatre duties. Also Permanent Relief Sister for general duties.
ST. WULSTAN'S HOSPITAL, MALVERN (Tuberculosis—250 beds). Surgical Ward Sister. Also Medical Ward Sister.
SHRUB HILL HOSPITAL, WORCESTER (116 beds. 18 Maternity). Ward Sisters.
THE CORBETT HOSPITAL, STOURBRIDGE (General—114 beds). General Training School. Orthopaedic and Medical Ward Sister. Resident or non-resident.
WORCESTER ROYAL INFIRMARY (General—213 beds). Experienced Plaster Room Sister; preferably with Orthopaedic Certificate.

STAFF NURSES

EVESHAM GENERAL HOSPITAL (General—50 beds).
KNIGHTWICK SANATORIUM, Nr. WORCESTER (Tuberculosis—100 beds). For female block.
MALVERN GENERAL HOSPITAL (General—17 beds). Resident.
RONKSWOOD HOSPITAL, WORCESTER (General—251 beds. Maternity—50 beds). Part I Midwifery Training School. For acute medical and surgical wards, also for night duty.
ST. WULSTAN'S HOSPITAL (Tuberculosis—250 beds).
THE CORBETT HOSPITAL, STOURBRIDGE (General Training School—114 beds). For general ward duties. Resident or non-resident.
WORCESTER ROYAL INFIRMARY (General—213 beds). Staff Nurses for private wards, for theatre, for modern paediatric unit. Preferably S.R.N., R.S.C.N. Medical ward. Excellent experience in the nursing of sick babies. Also one with Orthopaedic Certificate. For Orthopaedic Wards.

POST-GRADUATE COURSES

ROMSLEY HILL HOSPITAL, HALESOWEN, Nr. BIRMINGHAM (Pulmonary Tuberculosis—120 beds). Male and female S.R.N. accepted as Staff Nurses for one year's training for B.T.A. Certificate. Two vacancies from 1st January, 1957. Resident or non-resident.
ST. WULSTAN'S HOSPITAL, MALVERN (Tuberculosis—250 beds). Staff Nurses for B.T.A. Certificate.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

AVONSIDE HOSPITAL, EVESHAM (Long-stay and Maternity—260 beds).
EVESHAM GENERAL HOSPITAL (General—50 beds).
KYRE PARK HOSPITAL, Nr. TENBURY WELLS (Primary Tuberculosis in Children—66 beds).
MALVERN GENERAL HOSPITAL (22 beds). Resident.
RONKSWOOD HOSPITAL, WORCESTER (General—251 beds. Maternity—50 beds). For day and night duty.
ST. WULSTAN'S HOSPITAL, MALVERN (Tuberculosis—250 beds).
SHRUB HILL HOSPITAL, WORCESTER (116 beds. 18 Maternity).
WORCESTER EYE HOSPITAL (Ophthalmic—18 beds). Resident.

STAFF MIDWIVES

AVONSIDE HOSPITAL, EVESHAM (Long-stay and Maternity—260 beds). Two required for day and night duty. Resident or non-resident.
RONKSWOOD HOSPITAL, WORCESTER (General—251 beds. Maternity—50 beds). For ward and departmental work in busy midwifery unit.
SHRUB HILL HOSPITAL, WORCESTER (116 beds. 18 Maternity).

PUPIL MIDWIVES

RONKSWOOD HOSPITAL, WORCESTER (General—251 beds. Maternity—50 beds). Vacancies February and May, 1957. New, well-equipped department including a premature baby unit.

HEREFORDSHIRE

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT

COUNTY HOSPITAL, HEREFORD (General—339 beds).

NIGHT SISTERS

ALTON STREET HOSPITAL, ROSS-ON-WYE (Chronic Sick and M.D.—167 beds). In sole charge.

THEATRE SISTER

GENERAL HOSPITAL, HEREFORD (General—154 beds).

STAFF NURSES

ALTON STREET HOSPITAL, ROSS-ON-WYE (Chronic Sick and M.D.—167 beds). Female for Chronic Sick Block.
GENERAL HOSPITAL, HEREFORD (General—154 beds). Staff Nurses also Theatre Staff Nurses.
LEOMINSTER COTTAGE HOSPITAL (General—16 beds).
ROSS COTTAGE HOSPITAL, ROSS-ON-WYE (General—15 beds).

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

ALTON STREET HOSPITAL, ROSS-ON-WYE (Chronic Sick and M.D.—167 beds). One for night duty in Chronic Sick Block.
BROMYARD HOSPITAL (Chronic—62 beds).
COUNTY HOSPITAL, HEREFORD (General—335 beds). For general or midwifery.
LEOMINSTER COTTAGE HOSPITAL (General—16 beds).
ROSS COTTAGE HOSPITAL, ROSS-ON-WYE (General—15 beds).

STAFF MIDWIVES

COUNTY HOSPITAL, HEREFORD (General—335 beds).

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BIRMINGHAM REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—(*Contd.*)

WOLVERHAMPTON AND DISTRICT

SISTERS

LADY FORESTER HOSPITAL, BROSELEY, SALOP. (General and Maternity—30 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Capable of taking charge in Matron's absence. Good accommodation.

MIDWIFERY SISTER

LADY FORESTER HOSPITAL, BROSELEY, SALOP. (General and Maternity—30 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. or S.C.M. only. Unit of 8 beds. Resident post, good accommodation.

STAFF MIDWIFE

LADY FORESTER HOSPITAL, BROSELEY, SALOP. (General and Maternity—30 beds). For night duty. Resident or non-resident.

MENTAL NURSING APPOINTMENTS

WARD SISTERS

CITY GENERAL HOSPITAL, STOKE-ON-TRENT (Female Psychiatric Unit—86 beds). S.R.N., S.R.M.N.

COLESHILL HALL HOSPITAL, COLESHILL, Nr. BIRMINGHAM (Mental Deficiency).

STAFF NURSES

ALTON STREET HOSPITAL, ROSS-ON-WYE (Chronic Sick and M.D.—167 beds). Female for Mental Defective Wards.

CITY GENERAL HOSPITAL, STOKE-ON-TRENT (Female Psychiatric Unit—86 beds). S.R.N., S.R.M.N. Also Male Staff Nurse, S.R.N., S.R.M.N., for Male Psychiatric Unit.

PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES

Are required at the following hospitals, for two years' training for Roll of Assistant Nurses. Further particulars from the Matron of the hospital concerned.

AVONSIDE HOSPITAL, EVESHAM (Long-stay and Maternity—260 beds). Assistant Nurse Training School. Male and female. Training given by teaching staff at Avonside Hospital and Evesham General Hospital for acute and surgical treatment.

CITY GENERAL HOSPITAL, STOKE-ON-TRENT (845 beds). Male and female.

MID-WORCESTERSHIRE HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE. Male and female. Study day system of training. Apply to the Matron of one of the component Training Schools: Bromsgrove Cottage Hospital; Blackwell Recovery Hospital, Nr. Bromsgrove; Smallwood Hospital, Redditch; Blakebrook Hospital, Kidderminster.

SUMMERFIELD HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 18 (Chronic Sick and Geriatric—1,066 beds). Male and female over 18 years. Resident accommodation. Next schools commence 21st January and 18th March.

THE ANDRESSEY HOSPITAL, BURTON-UPON-TRENT, STAFFS. (314 beds). Male, non-resident; female, resident or non-resident. For new Training School about to commence in the new year. The hospital is at present undergoing major developments, including complete new sanitary annexes, the addition of a 33-bedded geriatric unit which will be opened in the spring of next year, and the maternity department will be increased in size in the very near future. Applications will be considered from persons up to 50 years of age.

WEST HEATH HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 31 (Pulmonary Tuberculosis—210 beds). **Male and female.** Part of the course to be taken at Yardley Green Hospital and Selly Oak Hospital West.

PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES—Contd.

WORCESTER ROYAL INFIRMARY (General—213 beds). School of N incorporating Ronkswood and Shrub Hill Hospitals, Worcester. This training experience in acute medical and surgical nursing and chronic sick nursing school commences 14th January, 1957.

WORDSLEY HOSPITAL, Nr. STOURBRIDGE, WORCS. (Acute—473 Two years training on Acute Wards. Female, resident or non-residents non-resident.

YARDLEY GREEN HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 9 (All forms of Tuberc including Surgical Unit—413 beds). Part of the course to be taken at Oak Hospital West.

STUDENT NURSE TRAINING

The undermentioned hospitals offer facilities for Student N Training and applications are invited from women (and w indicated from men), aged 18 to 30, to take the course three years' General Training for State Registration. The System of Training, where referred to, means that much of theoretical work is undertaken when the Nurse is not w on the wards. For further particulars, details of salaries application forms, apply to the Matron of the hospital conc unless otherwise stated.

CITY GENERAL HOSPITAL, STOKE-ON-TRENT (845 beds). Co General Training School. **Male and female.** Study day block system in o Pleasantly situated; modern nurses' home; separate bedrooms.

BROMSGROVE GENERAL HOSPITAL, WORCS. (General and Tu Midwifery Training School—423 beds). Male and female.

CHESHIRE JOINT SANATORIUM, Nr. MARKET DRAYTON, S (305 beds). Two years' training for British Tuberculosis Association Certi Post-registration students also accepted.

DUDLEY ROAD HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 18 (General—658 Maternity—141 beds. Premature Baby Unit). Complete General Training Training in three years plus three months trial period. Block system in operation. Vacancies 4th February and 11th March.

GROUNDSLOW HOSPITAL, TITTENSOR, Nr. STOKE-ON-TRENT (1 110 beds).

HALLAM HOSPITAL, WEST BROMWICH (454 beds). For Prelim Training School Course commencing April, 1957, and approximately every months.

KIDDERMINSTER GENERAL HOSPITAL (112 beds). **Female.** Co General Training School.

LITTLE BROMWICH GENERAL HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 9 (Gene Fever Training School—700 beds).

NORTH STAFFORDSHIRE ROYAL INFIRMARY, HARTSHILL, STOK TRENT (455 beds). Complete General Training School. **Female.** Block of training in operation. Modern nurses' home in pleasant surroundings. S bedrooms. Recreational facilities.

ST. CHAD'S HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 16 (General—152 beds). F Immediate vacancies.

ST. WULSTAN'S HOSPITAL, MALVERN (Tuberculosis—250 beds). two years training for British Tuberculosis Association Certificate. Beau situated modern hospital. Travelling allowances to Worcester once per Staff social activities include tennis, badminton, cinema, etc.

WALSALL MANOR HOSPITAL (General—301 beds. Maternity—35 Male and female.

WEST HEATH HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 31 (Pulmonary Tubercu 210 beds). **Male and female** for two years' training for B.T.A. Certificate.

WORCESTER ROYAL INFIRMARY (General—213 beds). School of N (including Ronkswood Hospital). Good education required. Nurses' home pl situated with modern single rooms. Block system of training est Candidates on the Supplementary Register of the General Nursing Coun accepted for a two-year period of training. Next school 11th February.

YARDLEY GREEN HOSPITAL, BIRMINGHAM, 9 (All forms of Tuberc including Surgical Unit—413 beds). **Male and female.** Resident or non-re Four year course of training in general and tuberculosis nursing. Fir years at Yardley Green Hospital, followed by two years at Dudley Road or Selly Oak Hospital, Birmingham. Students are also accepted for tw training for the British Tuberculosis Association Certificate.

BOARD OF MANAGEMENT FOR ANGUS HOSPITALS
CHARLETON MATERNITY HOME MONTROSE

Staff Midwife required, S.R.N., S.C.M., for the above home, which is modern and well-equipped, and is on the main bus route, Aberdeen-Dundee. Eight-hour shifts.
Whitley scale and conditions.
Apply to Matron with references. (3219)

SARNIA, ONTARIO, CANADA

Applications are invited from **Nurses** who hold S.R.N. and C.M.B. Certificates. Positions are available in all departments.

Annual starting salary, $2,834.

Applications addressed to Personnel Director, Sarnia General Hospital, Sarnia, Ontario, Canada. (3383)

THE ROYAL FREE HOSPITAL
GRAY'S INN ROAD, W.C.1.

Staff Nurse required for casualty department.
Salary according to Whitley Council scale. Resident or non-resident. 48-hour week.
Apply to Matron, giving particulars of age, training and subsequent experience if any. (3388)

The Board of Governors
THE HAMMERSMITH, WEST LONDON AND ST. MARK'S HOSPITALS

Applications invited for the following posts:

WEST LONDON HOSPITAL, HAMMERSMITH ROAD, W.6
Night Sister.
Further details and application forms obtainable from Matron.

ST. MARK'S HOSPITAL, CITY ROAD, E.C.1
Theatre Sister.
Night Sister. Required early January.
Detailed applications, with names two referees, to Matron.

HAMMERSMITH HOSPITAL AND POST-GRADUATE MEDICAL SCHOOL DU CANE ROAD, LONDON, W.12
Night Superintendent.
Further details and application forms obtainable from Matron. (3428)

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL FOR DISEASES OF THE SKIN
Post-graduate Teaching Hospital in Dermatology

Out-patient Department:
LISLE STREET, LEICESTER SQUARE, W.C.2

In-patient Department:
HOMERTON GROVE, HACKNEY, E.9

Staff Nurses required to do Post-graduate Course in Dermatology, experience given in both departments.
State Enrolled Assistant Nurses required for In-patient Department.
Apply to Matron, In-patient Department, Homerton Grove, E.9. (43)

BRIDGE OF EARN HOUSE PERTHSHIRE

There are vacancies in the abo for the following:—
(1) **Staff Nurses.**
(2) **Student Nurses,** aged 1 over for General Training.
(3) **Student Nurses,** aged 1 over and **Trained Nurses** wishi their Orthopaedic Certificate.
Salaries according to the W Scales.
The hospital is situated 1 bus from Perth, has 806 be 280 Orthopaedic) and is recognis eral and Orthopaedic Train
Applications, giving full pa the names and addresses of t should be addressed to the M

LENNOX CASTLE MATE HOSPITAL
LENNOXTOWN, Nr. GLA
Staff Midwives, R.G.N. and dent or non-resident.

THE UNITED BIRMINGHAM QUEEN ELIZABETH HO EDGBASTON, BIRMING
Applications are invited fo **Staff Midwife.**
Salary according to Whitley Applications giving full deta to the Matron.

WELSH REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

Applications are invited for the following appointments and should be sent, together with details of age, qualifications, training experience and the names of two referees (or copies of two recent testimonials) to the Matron of the appropriate hospital (except where otherwise stated) from whom further details may be obtained. Salaries and conditions of service are in accordance with the appropriate National Agreements.

RUTHIN HOSPITAL
(46 beds, including 5 maternity beds)

MATRON, S.R.N., S.C.M., for temporary period of approximately 12 months. Salary scale £650 x £20 (4) to £730 per annum, less charge of £218 for board and lodging.
Applications to Group Secretary, "Rhianfa", Russell Road, Rhyl.

ASSISTANT MATRONS

PEMBROKE COUNTY WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
HAVERFORDWEST (163 beds). Complete Training School. S.R.N., S.C.M. Salary £550 x £15 (6) to £640 per annum less £163 residential emoluments. Conditions of service as laid down by Whitley Council. Applications to Group Secretary, West Wales Hospital Management Committee, Glangwili, Carmarthen.

CEFN MABLY HOSPITAL
ST. MELLONS, Nr. CARDIFF (158 beds). Hospital situated in pleasant country surroundings six miles from Cardiff. Good transport facilities. B.T.A. Training School and will also act as Tutor to Student Nurses. Salary £590 x £20 to £690, less £176 for board residence. Write, quoting two referees, to T. A. Jones, Group Secretary, 64 Cardiff Road, Newport, Mon.

PORT TALBOT GENERAL HOSPITAL
HOSPITAL ROAD, PORT TALBOT (85 beds). This hospital is recognised by G.N.C. as training school for nurses in affiliation with Neath General Hospital. Salary £590 x £20 (5) to £690 per annum, less £176 for residential emoluments. Vacancy available 1st January, 1957. Applications to Group Secretary, Mid Glamorgan Hospital Management Committee, 8 Wind Street, Neath.

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENTS

PEMBROKE COUNTY WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
HAVERFORDWEST (163 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M.

COUNTY HOSPITAL
GRIFFITHSTOWN, Nr. NEWPORT (253 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M.

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTERS

EAST GLAMORGAN HOSPITAL
CHURCH VILLAGE, Nr. PONTYPRIDD (316 beds).

MERTHYR GENERAL HOSPITAL
MERTHYR TYDFIL (120 beds). Applicants must have Housekeeping Certificate or experience. Recently acquired modernised living accommodation available.

MIDWIFERY TUTOR

MIDWIVES' TRAINING SCHOOL
9-13 PARK SQUARE, NEWPORT (Part II Training). Salary £630-£730. School situated in quiet residential neighbourhood, half a mile from town centre. Apply, quoting two referees, to Group Secretary, 64 Cardiff Road, Newport.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

RUTHIN HOSPITAL
RUTHIN (46 beds).

CATHERINE GLADSTONE MATERNITY HOME
MANCOT, QUEENSFERRY (25 beds).

ST. ASAPH HOSPITAL
Maternity Unit (54 beds).

ST. JAMES HOSPITAL
TREDEGAR, MON. (Medical, Geriatric and Obstetric—160 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M.

BRIDGEND GENERAL HOSPITAL
QUARELLA ROAD, BRIDGEND (381 beds). With previous experience.

RIVERSIDE HOSPITAL
PEMBROKE (Maternity Unit of 18 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M.

WEST WALES GENERAL HOSPITAL
CARMARTHEN (188 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. One of three required for busy unit of 25 beds dealing in abnormal midwifery. Prepared to do day or night duty. Resident or non-resident.

DEPARTMENTAL SISTERS

PONTYPRIDD & DISTRICT HOSPITAL
THE COMMON, PONTYPRIDD (36 beds). Theatre and out-patients.

CARDIGAN & DISTRICT HOSPITAL
CARDIGAN (36 beds). S.R.N. with theatre experience and will be required to assist Matron in general administrative duties.

PEMBROKE COUNTY WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
HAVERFORDWEST (163 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M.

NEATH GENERAL HOSPITAL
NEATH (Obstetric—64 beds). For Maternity Department. This hospital is classified as a complete training school (including midwifery training) and has a modern and well-equipped maternity unit.

NIGHT SISTERS

WEST WALES GENERAL HOSPITAL
CARMARTHEN (188 beds). S.R.N. Second of two for busy general hospital. Must have good theatre experience and midwifery experience. Resident or non-resident.

DENBIGHSHIRE INFIRMARY
DENBIGH (50 beds).

CYMLA CHEST HOSPITAL
CYMLA, NEATH (84 beds). This hospital has an up-to-date thoracic unit.

LLANGWYFAN HOSPITAL
Nr. DENBIGH (370 beds). S.R.N., B.T.A., or S.R.N. Facilities for taking B.T.A. Certificate; working under Night Superintendent.

LLUESTY HOSPITAL
HOLYWELL (155 beds).

CATHERINE GLADSTONE MATERNITY HOME
MANCOT, QUEENSFERRY (25 beds).

FLINT COTTAGE HOSPITAL
FLINT (26 beds).

TREDEGAR GENERAL HOSPITAL
TREDEGAR (Acute Surgical—56 beds). One of two, with theatre experience. Resident or non-resident.

ST. JAMES HOSPITAL
TREDEGAR (Acute Medical, Geriatric and Obstetric—160 beds). for General Wards.

ST. ASAPH HOSPITAL
ST. ASAPH (201 beds).

PRIORY HOSPITAL
HAVERFORDWEST. S.R.N., S.C.M. In sole charge of 20-bed Maternity Unit, or two Sisters for alternate days and nights Three nights off per week.

SISTERS

SULLY HOSPITAL
SULLY, GLAM. Thoracic Centre for South Wales. Modern chest hospital, 324 beds, facing sea. Recognised by General Nursing Council to participate in three year scheme of general training with Llandough Hospital. **Junior Ward Sister** for female floor of 51 beds.

PEMBROKE COUNTY WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
HAVERFORDWEST (163 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M.

SOUTH PEMBS. HOSPITAL
PEMBROKE DOCK (16 beds). S.R.N.

TENBY COTTAGE HOSPITAL
TENBY (16 beds). S.R.N. Some theatre experience desirable; also Sister, S.R.N., with midwifery qualifications.

LLANGWYFAN HOSPITAL
Nr. DENBIGH (370 beds). S.R.N., B.T.A., as holiday relief.

ST. ASAPH HOSPITAL
S.R.N., S.C.M., with premature baby unit experience, and for maternity unit of 54 beds.

BRONYNANT ISOLATION HOSPITAL
COLWYN BAY (25 beds). S.R.F.N. Resident or non-resident.

SOUTH WALES SANATORIUM
TALGARTH (284 beds). S.R.N.

ST. DAVID'S HOSPITAL
BRECON (54 beds). S.R.N.

THEATRE SISTERS

ST. ASAPH HOSPITAL
ST. ASAPH (201 beds). Second Theatre Sister

CAERPHILLY DISTRICT MINERS' HOSPITAL
Nr. CARDIFF (General Medical and Surgical—226 beds).

WARD SISTERS

GRAIG HOSPITAL
COURTHOUSE STREET, PONTYPRIDD (309 beds).

LLUESTY HOSPITAL
HOLYWELL (155 beds). Resident or non-resident.

FLINT COTTAGE HOSPITAL
FLINT (26 beds). Resident.

BUILTH COTTAGE HOSPITAL
BUILTH WELLS (25 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M.

KNIGHTON HOSPITAL
KNIGHTON (48 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M.

PORT TALBOT GENERAL HOSPITAL
HOSPITAL ROAD, PORT TALBOT (85 beds). First part Midwifery Certificate required.

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WELSH REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—(*Contd.*)

WARD SISTERS—Contd.

CYMLA CHEST HOSPITAL
CYMLA, NEATH (84 beds). This hospital has an up-to-date thoracic unit.

MAESGWYN HOSPITAL
BRYNCETHIN, Nr. BRIDGEND (62 beds).

OPHTHALMIC TRAINED STAFF

General Hospital, St. Asaph, situate in pleasant surroundings 7 miles from Rhyl. New Ophthalmic Department of 16 beds. Ward Sisters and Staff Nurses for ward and theatre duties and Out-patients' Department. Applications to Matron.

THEATRE STAFF NURSES

LLANGWYFAN HOSPITAL
Nr. DENBIGH (370 beds). S.R.N., B.T.A., or S.R.N. only, for Thoracic Theatre. Also same, general surgery.

STAFF NURSES

ABERAYRON HOSPITAL
ABERAYRON, CARDS. (14 beds). Commence 1st January, 1957.

BRYNTIRION HOSPITAL
LLANELLY. S.R.N.

MAESGWYN HOSPITAL
BRYNCETHIN, Nr. BRIDGEND (62 beds).

EAST GLAMORGAN HOSPITAL
CHURCH VILLAGE, Nr. PONTYPRIDD (316 beds). Some with theatre experience.

LLANGWYFAN HOSPITAL
Nr. DENBIGH (370 beds). S.R.N., B.T.A., or S.R.N. only. Facilities for taking B.T.A. Certificate.

DENBIGHSHIRE INFIRMARY
DENBIGH (50 beds).

HAWARDEN ISOLATION HOSPITAL
Nr. CHESTER (41 beds). S.R.N. or S.R.F.N. Resident or non-resident.

LLUESTY HOSPITAL
HOLYWELL (155 beds).

COLWYN BAY & WEST DENBIGHSHIRE HOSPITAL
COLWYN BAY (60 beds). Theatre experience desirable but not essential. Resident or non-resident.

EAST GLAMORGAN HOSPITAL
CHURCH VILLAGE, Nr. PONTYPRIDD (316 beds). S.R.N., with premature baby nursing experience, for new premature baby unit.

GRAIG HOSPITAL
COURTHOUSE STREET, PONTYPRIDD (309 beds).

PONTYPRIDD & DISTRICT HOSPITAL
THE COMMON, PONTYPRIDD (36 beds).

PORTH & DISTRICT HOSPITAL
PORTH, RHONDDA (110 beds).

TREHERBERT HOSPITAL
TREHERBERT, RHONDDA (29 beds).

BRECONSHIRE WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
BRECON (236 beds).

ST. DAVID'S HOSPITAL
BRECON (54 beds).

SOUTH WALES SANATORIUM
TALGARTH (284 beds).

BUILTH COTTAGE HOSPITAL
BUILTH WELLS (25 beds).

NEATH GENERAL HOSPITAL
NEATH (412 beds).

BRIDGEND GENERAL HOSPITAL
QUARELLA ROAD, BRIDGEND (381 beds).

PORT TALBOT GENERAL HOSPITAL
HOSPITAL ROAD, PORT TALBOT (85 beds).

TONNA CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL
TONNA, NEATH (90 beds).

CAERPHILLY DISTRICT MINERS' HOSPITAL
Nr. CARDIFF (General Medical and Surgical—226 beds). Resident or non-resident.

ST. JAMES HOSPITAL
TREDEGAR, MON (Medical, Geriatric and Obstetric—160 beds).

PEMBROKE COUNTY WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
HAVERFORDWEST (163 beds). S.R.N.

WEST WALES GENERAL HOSPITAL
CARMARTHEN (188 beds). S.R.N. for Theatre.

KENSINGTON HOSPITAL
ST. BRIDES, HAVERFORDWEST (100 beds). S.R.N. Two required. Tuberculosis in children.

MEYRICK HOSPITAL
PEMBROKE DOCK (16 beds). S.R.N.

STAFF NURSES—Contd.

TREDEGAR GENERAL HOSPITAL
TREDEGAR, MON. (Acute Surgical—56 beds). For theatre and wards.

SULLY HOSPITAL
SULLY, GLAM. Thoracic Centre for South Wales. Modern chest hospital 324 beds, facing sea. Recognised by General Nursing Council to participate three year scheme of general training with Llandough Hospital. **Theatre Nurses** for experience in thoracic and cardiac surgery. **Male Staff Nurses** vacancies exist for male S.R.N.s. Limited vacancies with married accommodation also available.

NEWTOWN HOSPITAL
NEWTOWN, MID WALES. For night duty (two nights off per week).

POST GRADUATE NURSES

LLANGWYFAN HOSPITAL
Nr. DENBIGH (370 beds). Thoracic Centre for North Wales. Modern chest hospital situated in pleasant country, only 16 miles from sea. Good training facilities. One year training for British Tuberculosis Association Certificate. Training given in pulmonary tuberculosis, orthopaedics, genito-urinary, paediatric and non-tuberculous chest work.

SULLY HOSPITAL
SULLY, GLAM. Thoracic Centre for South Wales. Modern chest hospital 324 beds, facing sea. Recognised by General Nursing Council to participate three year scheme of general training with Llandough Hospital. One year training for British Tuberculosis Association Certificate.

STAFF MIDWIVES

EAST GLAMORGAN HOSPITAL
CHURCH VILLAGE, Nr. PONTYPRIDD (316 beds).

LLWYNYPIA HOSPITAL
LLWYNYPIA, RHONDDA (190 beds).

NEATH GENERAL HOSPITAL
NEATH (Obstetric—64 beds). This hospital is classified as a complete training school (including midwifery training) and has a modern and well-equipped maternity unit.

BRIDGEND GENERAL HOSPITAL
QUARELLA ROAD, BRIDGEND (381 beds).

MAESTEG MATERNITY HOSPITAL
MAESTEG (11 beds).

ST. ASAPH HOSPITAL
ST. ASAPH. For maternity unit of 54 beds.

DENBIGHSHIRE INFIRMARY
DENBIGH (50 beds).

RUTHIN HOSPITAL
RUTHIN (46 beds).

PEMBROKE COUNTY WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
HAVERFORDWEST (163 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M.

WEST WALES GENERAL HOSPITAL
CARMARTHEN (188 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M.

RIVERSIDE HOSPITAL
PEMBROKE (Maternity Unit of 18 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M.

PRIORY HOSPITAL
HAVERFORDWEST (Maternity Unit—20 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. For day and occasional night duty.

ST. JAMES HOSPITAL, TREDEGAR, MON.

(Medical, Geriatric and Obstetric—160 beds)

S.R.N., S.C.M. or **S.C.M.** only. Four vacancies for married Midwives (full-time).

NEW HOUSING ACCOMMODATION AVAILABLE IN THE TOWN

PUPIL MIDWIVES

NEATH GENERAL HOSPITAL
NEATH (Obstetric—64 beds). This hospital is classified as a complete training school (including midwifery training) and has a modern and well-equipped maternity unit.

ST. JAMES HOSPITAL
TREDEGAR, MON. (Medical, Geriatric and Obstetric—160 beds). Vacancies for Part II training.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

BRYNTIRION HOSPITAL
LLANELLY.

MAESGWYN HOSPITAL
BRYNCETHIN, Nr. BRIDGEND (62 beds).

MAESTEG MATERNITY HOSPITAL
110 LLWYDARTH ROAD, MAESTEG (11 beds).

LLANGWYFAN HOSPITAL
Nr. DENBIGH (370 beds). Male and female. For Medical Wards and Tuberculous and non-Tuberculous Chest Wards.

WELSH REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—(Contd.)

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES—Contd.

ST. ASAPH HOSPITAL
ST. ASAPH. For Ophthalmic Unit of 16 beds; also for Medical and Surgical Wards.

HAWARDEN ISOLATION HOSPITAL
Nr. CHESTER (41 beds).

LLUESTY HOSPITAL
HOLYWELL (155 beds).

DENBIGHSHIRE INFIRMARY
DENBIGH (50 beds).

PORT TALBOT GENERAL HOSPITAL
HOSPITAL ROAD, PORT TALBOT (85 beds).

BRECONSHIRE WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
BRECON (36 beds).

KNIGHTON HOSPITAL
KNIGHTON (48 beds).

SOUTH WALES SANATORIUM
TALGARTH (284 beds. Male or female.

ST. DAVID'S HOSPITAL
BRECON (54 beds).

EAST GLAMORGAN HOSPITAL
CHURCH VILLAGE, Nr. PONTYPRIDD (316 beds).

GRAIG HOSPITAL
COURTHOUSE STREET, PONTYPRIDD (309 beds).

PONTYPRIDD & DISTRICT HOSPITAL
THE COMMON, PONTYPRIDD (36 beds).

BUILTH COTTAGE HOSPITAL
BUILTH WELLS (25 beds).

NEATH GENERAL HOSPITAL
NEATH (84 beds). Male or female.

BRIDGEND GENERAL HOSPITAL
QUARELLA ROAD, BRIDGEND (381 beds).

CYMLA CHEST HOSPITAL
CYMLA, NEATH (84 beds).

TONNA CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL
TONNA, NEATH (90 beds).

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES—Contd.

CAERPHILLY DISTRICT MINERS' HOSPITAL
Nr. CARDIFF (General, Medical and Surgical—226 beds). Resident or non-resident.

LLANDOVERY COTTAGE HOSPITAL
LLANDOVERY (18 beds)

SULLY HOSPITAL
SULLY, GLAM. Thoracic Centre for South Wales. Modern chest hospital, 324 beds, facing sea. Recognised by General Nursing Council to participate in three year scheme of general training with Llandough Hospital. Opportunity given to train for British Tuberculosis Association Certificate. Two years training.

NURSING AUXILIARIES

DENBIGHSHIRE INFIRMARY
DENBIGH (50 beds).

LLANGWYFAN HOSPITAL
Nr. DENBIGH (370 beds).

ST. ASAPH HOSPITAL
ST. ASAPH.

STUDENT NURSES

SULLY HOSPITAL
SULLY, GLAM. Thoracic Centre for South Wales. Modern chest hospital, 324 beds, facing sea. Recognised by General Nursing Council to participate in three year scheme of general training with Llandough Hospital. For three years training; also for two years training for British Tuberculosis Association Certificate.

MENTAL NURSING

SISTER/MALE TUTOR

HENSOL CASTLE
Nr. PONTYCLUN. In sole charge (qualified) at this M.D. hospital. Accommodation available. Applications to be sent to the Medical Superintendent, Hensol Castle, Nr. Pontyclun, and received not later than 31st December, 1956.

OTHER VACANCIES. There are vacancies for Student Nurses, Pupil Assistant Nurses, Pupil Midwives and Trainees for the B.T.A. Certificate at training hospitals within the Region, and a list of hospitals (including mental hospitals) will be sent on application to the Regional Nursing Officer, Welsh Regional Hospital Board, Temple of Peace and Health, Cathays Park, Cardiff. (3373)

BRISTOL ROYAL HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN ST. MICHAEL'S HILL, BRISTOL, 2

Required: **Theatre Staff Nurse,** R.S.C.N. R.N.

Applications, giving details of age, training and experience, together with names of two referees, to the Matron. (3349)

UNITED OXFORD HOSPITALS RADCLIFFE INFIRMARY

Vacancies exist for **Staff Midwives** in Part I Midwifery School. Excellent experience gained in all departments.

Please apply, giving two names for reference purposes, to the Matron, from whom further details can be obtained. (x2993)

TINDAL GENERAL HOSPITAL AYLESBURY, BUCKS.

Nursing Auxiliaries. Immediate vacancies for female Nursing Auxiliaries, preferably with some previous experience of bedside nursing.

Salary £260—£445 p.a., according to age.

Apply, with one name for reference, to Matron, quoting ref. X.2. (2047)

PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES

Applications are invited from men and women over the age of 18 years for training as **Assistant Nurses.**

Training for two years commencing with two weeks practical instruction before going on the wards.

Salary £240 first year, £250 second, less £50 for board, lodging, etc.

Application forms from Matron, Abbots Langley Hospital, Leavesden, Nr. Watford. (9)

THE UNITED LEEDS HOSPITALS THE GENERAL INFIRMARY AT LEEDS

There are vacancies for **Pupil Assistant Nurses** at the Ida Hospital, a branch hospital of the General Infirmary.

Two year training. Allowance £260 for first year and £270 for the second year. Suitable cash payment of £5 will be made after obtaining State Enrolment. Ages from 16-40 years.

For further particulars please apply by letter to Matron, The General Infirmary at Leeds. (8)

HOSPITALS FOR DISEASES OF THE CHEST

Applications are invited for the following vacancies:

LONDON CHEST HOSPITAL
LONDON, E.2

(135 beds)

Station—Bethnal Green

(Central London Line)

Theatre Superintendent. With experience in Thoracic and Cardiac Surgery.

State Registered Staff Nurses for one year's post-graduate training for the British Tuberculosis Association Certificate.

State Enrolled Assistant Nurses.

Nursing Auxiliaries.

LONDON CHEST HOSPITAL
ARLESEY, BEDS.

Nr. Hitchin and Letchworth

(One hour's journey from London)
(207 beds)

State Registered Staff Nurses for one year's post-graduate training for the British Tuberculosis Association Certificate.

Male Staff Nurses for one year's post-graduate training.

State Enrolled Assistant Nurses.

Student Nurses. Two-year course for B.T.A. Certificate. Minimum age 18 years. Salary £265 first year, £275 second year. Deduction of £119 per annum for board residence—£60 service allowance paid on completion of training.

Nursing Auxiliaries.

Excellent facilities for recreation.

Six months Post-graduate Course (certificate granted).

Theoretical and practical experience is offered in Medical and Surgical Nursing in the Tuberculous and non-Tuberculous Thoracic Units, including Cardiac Surgery.

Whitley Council Scale of Salaries and Conditions with Service allowance of £15 on completion of each six months' continuous whole-time Tuberculosis Nursing.

Applications to the Matron at either Hospital. (85)

STOKE MANDEVILLE HOSPITAL AYLESBURY, BUCKS.

Nursing Auxiliaries (Female) required. Resident or non-resident.

Salary £260—£445 p.a., according to age.

Apply with two names for reference, to Matron, quoting ref. X.2. (3192)

THE ROYAL MARSDEN HOSPITAL FULHAM ROAD, LONDON, S.W.3

Vacancies for **Registered Female Assistant Nurses** who have had good experience and are interested in the nursing of cancer and the allied diseases. Resident or non-resident. Whitley Council scales of salary.

Apply to Matron. (46)

WINSLOW HOSPITAL WINSLOW, BUCKS.

(Chronic Sick and Mental Deficiency Hospital)

Nursing Auxiliaries (female) required. Resident accommodation available.

Salary £260—£445 p.a., according to age.

Applications, quoting two names for reference to Matron. (2240)

BRITISH HOME AND HOSPITAL FOR INCURABLES CROWN LANE, S.W.16

S.E.A.N.s (female) required. Whitley Council conditions of service plus 5/- weekly bonus.

Apply Matron. (3425)

POTTERS BAR AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, MUTTON LANE POTTERS BAR, MIDDLESEX

Special Probationers required, aged 16½ years, for period of 18 months, prior to taking complete nursing training. Commence £185 p.a., less £98 p.a. for board and lodging and uniform.

Apply to Matron. (3130)

THE ALEXANDRA HOSPITAL ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S HOSPITAL TEACHING GROUP STOCKWOOD PARK LUTON, BEDFORDSHIRE

There are vacancies for **Probationer Nurses** for one or two year's training suitable for girls prior to starting General or Children's Training or Physiotherapy. Lectures given by the Medical and Nursing Staff.

Salary £71 p.a., increasing to £81 in second year. Uniform provided. One months holiday p.a. Forty-eight hour week.

Apply Matron. (6)

THE UNITED LEEDS HOSPITALS THE GENERAL INFIRMARY AT LEEDS

(950 beds)

There are vacancies for **Student Nurses.** The curriculum of training covers a period of three years, excluding the period in the Preliminary Training School, followed by a further nine months' service as a Staff Nurse when State Registered Nurses' salary of £417 p.a. is paid.

A good standard of education is required. The block system of training is in force. Candidates on a Supplementary Register are accepted for a shortened period of training.

A training allowance of £260 is paid for the first year, £270 for the second year, plus a single payment of £5 after passing the Preliminary State Examination, and £285 for the third year. From the allowance, payment to the hospital of £119 per annum is made for board and lodging. After State Registration, Nurses will receive £417, of this £153 is paid to the hospital for board and lodging.

For further particulars apply by letter to the Matron of the General Infirmary at Leeds, who will be pleased to interview parents of prospective candidates. (7)

LEEDS REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

On behalf of the Management Committees applications are invited for the following appointments, and should be sent, together with details of age, qualifications, training, experience, and the names of two referees (or copies of two recent testimonials) to the Matron of the appropriate hospital (except where otherwise stated), from whom further details may be obtained. Salaries and conditions are in accordance with the appropriate National Agreement.

ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL, Leeds, 12

(Maternity—109 beds)

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT (resident or non-resident). Post offers excellent experience in nursing administration.

HALIFAX GENERAL HOSPITAL

(Maternity—102 beds)

PUPIL MIDWIVES. Training Schools commence in January, April, July and October. S.R.N.s and R.S.C.N.s are given one week's preparatory training before entering the wards and organised study periods are arranged during the whole of the training for Part I of the Central Midwives' Board Examination. Obstetric and paediatric lectures are given by consultants of the hospital staff, tutorials by a midwifery teacher. Good experience is available in normal and abnormal midwifery. The hospital is pleasantly situated on the outskirts of the town. Pupils may be resident or non-resident.

Applications to the Matron.

SISTER TUTORS

HARROGATE GENERAL HOSPITAL (General Training School for Nurses), Knaresborough Road, Harrogate (General and Maternity—253 beds). Unqualified—with Ward Sister's experience required to assist Sister Tutor with theoretical and clinical instructions. Block system of training.

HULL ROYAL INFIRMARY, Prospect Street, Hull (General—365 beds). One of three. Opportunity for enterprising tutor to work with progressive team in expanding hospital. Study day system of education.

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENTS

HULL MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Hedon Road, Hull (74 beds). Hospital is Part I Training School.

KEIGHLEY AND DISTRICT VICTORIA HOSPITAL, Keighley (Complete Training School in conjunction with Bingley Hospital) (General—139 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M.

SEACROFT HOSPITAL, Leeds, 14 (Fever—199 beds. Children's—158 beds). In charge of three Night Sisters.

HOME SISTERS

KEIGHLEY AND DISTRICT VICTORIA HOSPITAL, Keighley (Complete Training School in conjunction with Bingley Hospital) (General—139 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. The appointment includes some relief administrative duties. Resident.

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, Keighley (Geriatric—200 beds. Maternity—24 beds). Pupil Assistant Nurse Training School. S.R.N., S.C.M., with relief administrative duties.

SCOTTON BANKS HOSPITAL, Ripley Road, Knaresborough (T.B.—303 beds).

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTERS

BARTHOLOMEW HOSPITAL, Bartholomew Avenue, Goole (Surgical—44 beds; busy Out-patients' Department). Resident.

NIGHT SISTERS

EAST RIDING GENERAL HOSPITAL, Driffield, Yorks. (General—247 beds). Second Night Sister.

HARROGATE GENERAL HOSPITAL, Knaresborough Road, Harrogate (General and Maternity—253 beds. General Training School for Nurses). One of two working under Night Superintendent. Good experience for first Sister post.

KEIGHLEY AND DISTRICT VICTORIA HOSPITAL, Keighley (Complete Training School in conjunction with Bingley Hospital) (General—139 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. To work under Night Superintendent.

ST. HILDA'S HOSPITAL, Whitby (Geriatric—52 beds. Part III—48 beds).

ST. JAMES'S HOSPITAL (SOUTH), Leeds, 9 (General—713 beds). To work with six others and a Night Superintendent. Seven nights off in twenty-one. Resident or non-resident.

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, Keighley (Geriatric—200 beds. Maternity—24 beds. Pupil Assistant Nurse Training School). In sole charge. For Geriatric Wards.

ST. WINIFRED'S MATERNITY HOME, Wells Road, Ilkley (12 beds). In sole charge.

SEACROFT HOSPITAL, Leeds, 14 (Fever—199 beds. Children's—158 beds). One of three.

WAKEFIELD GENERAL HOSPITAL, Park Lodge Lane, Wakefield (General and Maternity—158 beds).

WESTFIELD HOSPITAL, Hook, Nr. Goole (Post-operative and G.P.—36 beds). In sole charge.

THEATRE SISTERS

HULL ROYAL INFIRMARY (SUTTON), Sutton-on-Hull, Hull (General—216 beds). Apply to Matron, Hull Royal Indrmary, Prospect Street, Hull.

SEACROFT HOSPITAL, Leeds, 14 (Fever—199 beds. Children's—158 beds). E.N.T., Ophthalmic and General Surgery.

WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, Whitby (General—24 beds).

SISTERS

ADELA SHAW ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL, Kirbymoorside, Yorks. (Children—112 beds). Junior Ward Sister.

EAST RIDING GENERAL HOSPITAL, Driffield, Yorks. (247 beds). Ward Sister.

GENERAL HOSPITAL, Newall Carr Road, Otley (General—172 beds). Junior Ward Sisters.

HEADLANDS HOSPITAL, Pontefract (Aged Sick—215 beds). Ward Sister.

SISTERS—Contd.

KNARESBOROUGH HOSPITAL, Stockwell Road, Knaresborough (Geriatric—112 beds). Ward Sister.

MARGUERITE HEPTON HOSPITAL, Thorp Arch, Boston Spa, York (Child Orthopaedic—75 beds). Ward Sisters.

NORTHFIELD SANATORIUM, Driffield, Yorks. (Tuberculosis—78 beds). Ward Sister.

RIPON AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, Firby Lane, Ripon (General and Maternity—47 beds). Ward Sister.

ST. HILDA'S HOSPITAL, Whitby (Geriatric—52 beds. Part III—48 beds). Ward Sister.

SELBY WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, Doncaster Road, Selby (Surgical—30 beds). Ward Sister, S.R.N. Resident or non-resident.

VICTORIA HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN, Park Street, Hull (Children—143 beds). Sister for E.N.T. Ward. S.R.N., R.S.C.N., or S.R.N. with E.N.T. training; also Ophthalmic Sister for ward of 14 beds. S.R.N., R.S.C.N., or S.R.N. with Ophthalmic Certificate.

YORKSHIRE HOME, Cornwall Road, Harrogate (Chronic Sick—70 beds). Relief Sister.

STAFF NURSES (FEMALE)

BINGLEY HOSPITAL, Bingley (Complete Training School in conjunction with Keighley and District Victoria Hospital) (General—68 beds). For night duty; and also for Male Ward.

CARLTON LODGE MATERNITY HOME, Leeds Road, Harrogate (11 beds).

CASTLEFORD, NORMANTON AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, Highgate, Castleford (Acute—53 beds). **Theatre Staff Nurse.**

EAST RIDING GENERAL HOSPITAL, Driffield, Yorks. (General—247 beds). Resident or non-resident.

GATEFORTH HOSPITAL, Nr. Selby (Tuberculosis—100 beds). S.R.N. B.T.A. Training for B.T.A. Certificate if not in possession. Resident or non-resident.

GENERAL HOSPITAL, Newall Carr Road, Otley (172 beds). Staff Nurse S.R.N.; also one for theatre work.

HULL ROYAL INFIRMARY, Prospect Street, Hull (General—149 beds). One for Out-patient Department (vacant January); also one for Orthopaedic Ward and Theatre Staff Nurses.

HULL ROYAL INFIRMARY (SUTTON), Sutton-on-Hull, Hull, York (General—216 beds). For Children's Ward, night duty. For Female Medical Ward and for Male Surgical Ward. Also Theatre Staff Nurses. Apply Matron, Hull Royal Infirmary, Prospect Street, Hull.

KEIGHLEY AND DISTRICT VICTORIA HOSPITAL, Keighley (Complete Training School in conjunction with Bingley Hospital) (General—139 beds). For theatre.

KINGSTON GENERAL HOSPITAL, Beverley Road, Hull (General—398 beds). Resident or non-resident.

KNARESBOROUGH HOSPITAL, Stockwell Road, Knaresborough (Geriatric—112 beds).

PUBLIC DISPENSARY AND HOSPITAL, Leeds, 2 (General—28 beds). Non-resident. Busy Casualty Department.

NORTHFIELD SANATORIUM, Driffield, Yorks. (Tuberculosis—78 beds).

RIPON AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, Firby Lane, Ripon (General and Maternity—47 beds). For General Ward.

ROYAL BATH HOSPITAL, Cornwall Road, Harrogate (Rheumatic Disease—147 beds). One for Medical Floor and one for night duty.

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, Boothferry Road, Goole (Chronic Sick and Medical—121 beds). Resident or non-resident.

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, Fell Lane, Keighley (Geriatric—200 beds. Maternity— 24 beds). Pupil Assistant Nurse Training School.

SCOTTON BANKS HOSPITAL, Ripley Road, Knaresborough (T.B.—303 beds). One S.R.N. and one T.A.C.

SEACROFT HOSPITAL, Leeds, 14 (Fever—199 beds. Children's—158 beds). **Theatre Staff Nurse,** also **Staff Nurses for I.D. Wards.**

SKIPTON GENERAL HOSPITAL, Skipton (64 beds). For Male Ward, Theatre, Casualty Department and for night duty.

VICTORIA HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN, Park Street, Hull (Children—143 beds). For day and night duty for wards and theatre.

WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, Whitby (General—24 beds).

WHITE HART HOSPITAL, Cold Bath Road, Harrogate (Rheumatic Disease—133 beds). One for Orthopaedic Floor and one for night duty.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

GATEFORTH HOSPITAL, Nr. Selby (Tuberculosis—100 beds). S.R.N. B.T.A. Training for B.T.A. Certificate if not in possession. Resident or non-resident.

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, Boothferry Road, Goole (Chronic Sick and Medical—121 beds). Non-resident.

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, Keighley (Pupil Assistant Nurse Training School) (Geriatric—200 beds. Maternity—24 beds).

POST GRADUATE COURSES

CASTLE HILL HOSPITAL, Castle Road, Cottingham, E. Yorks. (L.R.C. Thoracic—214 beds). **Staff Nurses, male and female.** Post-graduate training given in this Major Thoracic Surgery Unit for nurses interested in a specialist career. Appointments for six months with an opportunity to stay longer desired. The comprehensive surgical work includes all types of pulmonary, cardiac and oesophageal surgery—an excellent opportunity for extensive experience in rapidly advancing branch of surgery. Certificates of training are awarded after practical and oral examination. Next course commences January, 1957. Illustrated pamphlet and further information from the Matron.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

ARTHINGTON HALL HOSPITAL, Arthington, Nr. Leeds (Male Convalescent—50 beds). Full-time. Resident. Post suitable for older person.

BARTHOLOMEW HOSPITAL, Bartholomew Avenue, Goole (Surgical—44 beds; busy Out-patients' Department). Female, resident or non-resident; male, non-resident.

BINGLEY HOSPITAL, Bingley (Complete Training School in conjunction with Keighley and District Victoria Hospital) (General—68 beds). Female.

BURNTWOOD HOSPITAL, Brierley, Nr. Barnsley (Isolation—67 beds).

LEEDS REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—(*Contd.*)

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES—Contd.

CARLTON LODGE MATERNITY HOME, Leeds Road, Harrogate (11 beds).
GENERAL HOSPITAL, Newall Carr Road, Otley (172 beds).
HEADLANDS HOSPITAL, Pontefract (Aged Sick—215 beds).
HULL ROYAL INFIRMARY, Prospect Street, Hull (General—149 beds). For General Wards.
KEIGHLEY AND DISTRICT VICTORIA HOSPITAL, Keighley (Complete Training School in conjunction with Bingley Hospital) (General—139 beds). Male or female.
KINGSTON GENERAL HOSPITAL, Beverley Road, Hull (General—398 beds). Male or female. Non-resident.
KNARESBOROUGH HOSPITAL, Stockwell Road, Knaresborough (Geriatric—112 beds). Resident or non-resident.
NORTHFIELD SANATORIUM, Driffield, Yorks. (Tuberculosis—78 beds).
RIPON AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, Firby Lane, Ripon (General and Maternity—47 beds).
ROYAL BATH HOSPITAL, Cornwall Road, Harrogate (Rheumatic Diseases—147 beds). For Out-patients' Department.
ST. JAMES'S HOSPITAL (NORTH), Leeds, 9 (Chronic Sick—494 beds). Resident or non-resident.
ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, Boothferry Road, Goole (Chronic Sick and Medical—121 beds). Female, resident or non-resident; male, non-resident.
ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, Fell Lane, Keighley (Geriatric—200 beds. Maternity—24 beds). Male and female. Pupil Assistant Nurse Training School.
SCOTTON BANKS HOSPITAL, Ripley Road, Knaresborough (T.B.—303 beds).
SKIPTON GENERAL HOSPITAL, Skipton (64 beds). Female.
WHITE HART HOSPITAL, Cold Bath Road, Harrogate (Rheumatic Diseases—33 beds).
WOODGATES MATERNITY HOME, North Ferriby, E. Yorks. (Maternity—24 beds). For day or night duty.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

MANYGATES HOSPITAL, Barnsley Road, Wakefield (Maternity—35 beds).
ST. JAMES'S HOSPITAL (SOUTH), Leeds, 9 (General—713 beds). Junior Midwifery Sister, 32-bedded Gynaecological and Isolation Maternity Ward. S.R.N., S.C.M. essential.
ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL, Leeds, 12 (109 beds). Good experience in all branches of midwifery, including Labour Ward, Lying-in Ward and Premature Baby Unit. Resident or non-resident.
ST. WINIFRED'S MATERNITY HOME, Wells Road, Ilkley (12 beds).
WOODGATES MATERNITY HOME, N. Ferriby, E. Yorks. (Maternity—24 beds).

STAFF MIDWIVES

CARLTON LODGE MATERNITY HOME, Leeds Road, Harrogate (Maternity—[illegible] beds).
GENERAL HOSPITAL, Newall Carr Road, Otley (General—172 beds).
HULL MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Hedon Road, Hull (74 beds). For wards and working of Premature Nursery, alternate day and night duty.
KEIGHLEY AND DISTRICT VICTORIA HOSPITAL, Keighley (General—[illegible] beds). (Complete Training School in conjunction with Bingley Hospital). [illegible] day and night duty.
RIPON AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, Firby Lane, Ripon (General and Maternity—47 beds).
ST. LUKE'S MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Bradford, Yorks. (125 beds). Resident or non-resident.
ST. WINIFRED'S MATERNITY HOME, Wells Road, Ilkley (12 beds).
STAINCLIFFE GENERAL HOSPITAL, Healds Road, Dewsbury (General—[illegible] beds). For Maternity Unit of 42 beds. Excellent experience for newly qualified or with Part I only.
WESTWOOD HOSPITAL, Beverley, Yorks. (General—229 beds).
WOODGATES MATERNITY HOME, North Ferriby, E. Yorks. (Maternity—[illegible] beds). Full-time or part-time.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

HULL MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Hedon Road, Hull (Maternity—74 beds). For Part I Examination of the Central Midwives' Board. Approved arrangements [illegible] gas and air analgesia and good experience provided in the care of premature [illegible]ies. Obstetric and paediatric lectures given by specialists and qualified midwifery [illegible]or. One weeks preparatory course in class room before commencing training.
ST. JAMES'S HOSPITAL (MATERNITY UNIT), Leeds, 9 (66 beds). Training [illegible]mences January, April, July and October, 1957, for S.R.N.s or R.S.C.N.s One [illegible]k's preparatory training before entering wards, and one week's study course on [illegible]pletion of training prior to the Central Midwives' Board Examination. One [illegible]y day and one day off per week. Two qualified tutors. Good experience in [illegible] branches of midwifery, also in premature baby unit. Modern nurses' home. [illegible]pital situated one mile from the city centre.
ST. LUKE'S MATERNITY HOSPITAL, Bradford, Yorks. (125 beds). [illegible] first period midwifery training, must be S.R.N. or R.S.C.N. One study day [illegible] one day off per week arranged. Instruction in premature baby care given. [illegible]pital conveniently situated 10 minutes walk from city centre. Second period [illegible]ning can be taken in Bradford if desired. For brochure and application form [illegible]y to Matron.
ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL, Leeds, 12 (109 beds). S.R.N.s only are now being [illegible]lled to prepare for the Central Midwives' Board Examination. Training [illegible]mences January and February, April and May, July and August, October and [illegible]ember. Two qualified Midwifery Tutors are responsible for the supervision of [illegible]ning in theory and practice. Two weeks' Theoretical Course is given prior to [illegible]ring wards. A study day and day off per week. Obstetrics and paediatric [illegible]ures are given by consultants on the hospital staff. Good experience is [illegible]lable in the care of premature babies, also normal and abnormal midwifery, [illegible] hospital is pleasantly situated in its own grounds, 3½ miles from the city [illegible]re and it can be reached easily by a frequent bus service. A brochure is [illegible]lable on application to the Matron. Pupils may be resident or non-resident.

NURSING AUXILIARIES

SCOTTON BANKS HOSPITAL, Ripley Road, Knaresborough (T.B.—303 beds). [illegible]ale.

MENTAL NURSING APPOINTMENTS

ASSISTANT MATRON

MEANWOOD PARK HOSPITAL, Tongue Lane, Leeds, 6 (Mental Deficiency—800 beds). Candidates should be S.R.N., and hold Mental Deficiency Nursing qualifications.

WARD SISTERS

BRANDESBURTON HALL, Brandesburton, Driffield, Yorkshire (M.D.—318 beds).
BROADGATE HOSPITAL, Beverley, Yorks. (Mental—650 beds). Apply Group Secretary, Westwood Hospital, Beverley, Yorks.
MEANWOOD PARK HOSPITAL, Tongue Lane, Leeds, 6 (Mental Deficiency—800 beds). M.D. Nursing qualifications essential.
SCALEBOR PARK, Burley-in-Wharfedale, Nr. Leeds, Yorks. (Mental—323 beds). Ward Sisters, R.M.N./R.M.P.A. essential. S.R.N. desirable. Also two **Ward Sisters** to open New Villas.
STANLEY ROYD HOSPITAL, Wakefield (Mental—1,976 beds).

DEPUTY WARD SISTERS

BRANDESBURTON HALL, Brandesburton, Driffield, Yorkshire (M.D.—318 beds).
BROADGATE HOSPITAL, Beverley, Yorks. (Mental—650 beds). Apply Group Secretary, Westwood Hospital, Beverley, Yorks.

DEPUTY CHARGE NURSE

CARDIGAN HOSPITAL, Carr Gate, Nr. Wakefield (M.D.—40 beds). R.N.M.D. Applications to Chief Male Nurse, Oulton Hall Hospital, Oulton, Nr. Leeds.

STAFF NURSE (FEMALE)

SCALEBOR PARK, Burley-in-Wharfedale, Nr. Leeds, Yorks. (Mental—323 beds). Staff Nurses, including three to open New Villas.

STAFF NURSES (MALE)

SCALEBOR PARK, Burley-in-Wharfedale, Nr. Leeds, Yorks. (Mental—323 beds). Three required to open New Villas.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

WHARFE GRANGE, Linton Road, Wetherby, Yorks. (M.D.—74 beds).

NURSING ASSISTANTS

WHARFE GRANGE, Linton Road, Wetherby, Yorks. (M.D.—74 beds).

STUDENT NURSE TRAINING

There are vacancies at the undermentioned hospitals. Training allowancees and conditions of service in accordance with the Whitley Council scales. Applications to Matron of hospital concerned.

HULL ROYAL INFIRMARY (SCHOOL OF NURSING), Prospect Street, Hull (General—365 beds). Vacancies occur in January, April, July and October each year for well-educated girls of 18 years and over who wish to become State Registered Nurses. Complete training, with study day system, is given in general nursing over a period of three years. Nurses on the Supplementary Register may be accepted for a reduced period. The hospital comprises a recently built ward block of 116 beds and residences for students in ideal surroundings.
KEIGHLEY AND BINGLEY HOSPITALS JOINT TRAINING SCHOOL (Incorporating Keighley and District Victoria Hospital, Keighley—139 general beds, and Bingley Hospital, Bingley—68 general beds). **Female** of 18 years or over. Modified block system of training is in operation. Three year course includes 12 weeks in preliminary training school at Harrogate. Modern nurses' homes. Application forms from Matron of either hospital.
ST. JAMES'S HOSPITAL (SOUTH), Leeds, 9 (General—713 beds). Female, 18 years of age or over. A system of study days is in operation.
SCOTTON BANKS HOSPITAL, Ripley Road, Knaresborough (T.B.—303 beds). Male or female.
STANLEY ROYD HOSPITAL, Wakefield (Mental—1,976 beds). **Male and female.**

PUPIL ASSISTANT NURSES

For two years' training for Roll of Assistant Nurses.

GENERAL HOSPITAL, Newall Carr Road, Otley (General—172 beds). Male or female.
KNARESBOROUGH HOSPITAL, Stockwell Road, Knaresborough (Geriatric—112 beds).
ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, Keighley (Geriatric—200 beds. Maternity—24 beds) and **RAIKESWOOD HOSPITAL, Skipton** (Geriatric—143 beds. Acute—Medical—28 beds). Female pupils at both hospitals, resident or non-resident; and male pupils at St. John's Hospital, non-resident. Preliminary Training School at St. John's Hospital. Application forms, etc., from Matron of either hospital.

STUDENTS. There are vacancies for Student Nurses, Pupil Assistant Nurses and Pupil Midwives, at training hospitals (including Mental [illegible]pitals and Mental Deficiency Institutions) in all parts of the Region. Applicants who wish to enter training should write to the [illegible]tron of the hospital of their choice referred to in the above advertisement. (67)

SHEFFIELD REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD

Applications are invited for the following appointments, and should be sent, together with details of age, qualifications, training experience and the names of two referees (or copies of two recent testimonials) to THE MATRON OF THE APPROPRIATE HOSPITAL unless otherwise stated, from whom further details may be obtained. Salaries are in accordance with the appropriate National Scales.

SOUTH YORKSHIRE

SISTER TUTOR

DONCASTER GATE HOSPITAL, ROTHERHAM (161 beds). S.R.N. Sister Tutor's Diploma. Part-time: 24 hours weekly. Unqualified Tutor considered. Resident or non-resident.

DEPARTMENTAL SISTERS

BADSLEY MOOR LANE HOSPITAL, ROTHERHAM (70 beds). S.R.N. Housekeeping Certificate preferred. Resident.

NIGHT SISTERS

CITY GENERAL HOSPITAL, SHEFFIELD, 5 (680 beds). In sole charge. One of three Sisters. To take charge of part of the hospital only Resident or non-resident. Hospital pleasantly situated in spacious grounds convenient to city centre and Derbyshire beauty spots.

NETHER EDGE HOSPITAL, SHEFFIELD, 11 (402 beds). In sole charge. To take charge of part of the hospital only. Resident or non-resident.

WATHWOOD HOSPITAL, WATH-ON-DEARNE, Nr. ROTHERHAM (T.B.—120 beds). **In sole charge.** S.R.N. B.T.A. Certificate also preferred. Facilities available for B.T.A. Resident or non-resident.

THEATRE SISTER

MOORGATE GENERAL HOSPITAL, ROTHERHAM (355 beds. 38 cots). **In sole charge.** S.R.N. for busy general theatre. Experience essential. Resident or non-resident.

SISTERS

CITY GENERAL HOSPITAL, SHEFFIELD, 5 (680 beds). Junior Sisters for duties on Chest Unit and Children's Wards. Resident or non-resident. Hospital pleasantly situated in spacious grounds convenient to city centre and Derbyshire beauty spots.

DONCASTER GATE HOSPITAL, ROTHERHAM (161 beds). Children's Ward Sister. S.R.N., R.S.C.N. Resident or non-resident.

FIR VALE INFIRMARY, SHEFFIELD, 5 (1,083 beds). Relief Ward Sister. Resident or non-resident. Hospital is pleasantly situated in spacious grounds convenient to city centre and Derbyshire beauty spots.

LODGE MOOR HOSPITAL, SHEFFIELD, 10 (467 beds). Ward Sister, S.R.N., R.F.N., for Cubicle Ward. Resident or non-resident.

MONTAGU HOSPITAL, MEXBOROUGH (168 beds). For Children's Ward. S.R.N., R.S.C.N. Resident or non-resident.

NETHER EDGE HOSPITAL, SHEFFIELD, 11 (402 beds). Relief Ward Sister (preferably S.R.N., T.A. Certificate) for duties on sanatorium; also Ward Sister for duties on Female Chronic Sick Wards. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF NURSES

CITY GENERAL HOSPITAL, SHEFFIELD, 5 (680 beds). S.R.N. or R.S.C.N. for duties on Children's Ward or Out-patients' Department. Female. Resident or non-resident. Hospital pleasantly situated in spacious grounds convenient to city centre and Derbyshire beauty spots.

DONCASTER GATE HOSPITAL, ROTHERHAM (161 beds). S.R.N. Good casualty experience an advantage. Female. Resident or non-resident.

LODGE MOOR HOSPITAL, SHEFFIELD, 10 (467 beds). S.R.N., R.F.N. Male or female. Resident or non-resident.

MOORGATE GENERAL HOSPITAL, ROTHERHAM (355 beds. 38 cots). S.R.N. for day and night duty. Female. Resident or non-resident.

NETHER EDGE HOSPITAL, SHEFFIELD, 11 (402 beds). For duties on Geriatric Unit. Female. Resident or non-resident.

ROSEHILL HOSPITAL ANNEXE, RAWMARSH, Nr. ROTHERHAM (26 beds). S.R.N. Female. Resident or non-resident.

POST-REGISTRATION COURSES

CITY GENERAL HOSPITAL, SHEFFIELD, 5 (680 beds). Second year Student Nurses. R.F.N., R.S.C.N. or R.M.N. Female. Resident or non-resident. Several vacancies arising shortly. Brochure available on request. Hospital pleasantly situated in spacious grounds convenient to city centre and Derbyshire beauty spots.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

DONCASTER GATE HOSPITAL, ROTHERHAM (161 beds). Duty in wards and departments. Female. Resident or non-resident.

FIR VALE INFIRMARY, SHEFFIELD, 5 (1,083 beds). Three shift system. Female. Resident or non-resident. Hospital pleasantly situated in spacious grounds convenient to city centre and Derbyshire beauty spots.

LODGE MOOR HOSPITAL, SHEFFIELD, 10 (467 beds). Infectious Diseases, Tuberculosis, and Spinal Injury Wards. Male or female. Resident or non-resident.

NETHER EDGE HOSPITAL, SHEFFIELD, 11 (402 beds). With duties also at new Children's Tonsillectomy Unit. Female. Resident or non-resident.

OAKWOOD HALL HOSPITAL, ROTHERHAM (T.B.—102 beds). Male or female. Resident or non-resident.

ROSEHILL HOSPITAL ANNEXE, RAWMARSH, Nr. ROTHERHAM (26 beds). Female. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF MIDWIVES

HALLAMSHIRE MATERNITY HOME, CHAPELTOWN, Nr. SHEFFIELD (22 beds). S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

HAMILTON LODGE MATERNITY HOME, CARR HOUSE ROAD, DONCASTER (14 beds). Non-resident.

LISTERDALE MATERNITY HOME, WICKERSLEY, Nr. ROTHERHAM (24 beds). S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

MONTAGU HOSPITAL, MEXBOROUGH (168 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

NETHER EDGE HOSPITAL, SHEFFIELD, 11 (402 beds). Modern department of 76 beds with Premature Baby Unit. Resident or non-resident.

NOTTINGHAMSHIRE

SISTER TUTORS

CITY HOSPITAL, HUCKNALL ROAD, NOTTINGHAM (General—811 **Second Midwifery Tutor.** Part I Training School. Resident or non-resident.

WOMEN'S HOSPITAL, PEEL STREET, NOTTINGHAM (Obstetric Gynaecology—156 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Qualified or unqualified. Re

NIGHT SUPERINTENDENT

SHERWOOD HOSPITAL, HUCKNALL ROAD, NOTTINGHAM (Chron Geriatric—358 beds). S.R.N. Resident.

DEPARTMENTAL SISTERS

WOMEN'S HOSPITAL, PEEL STREET, NOTTINGHAM (Obstetric Gynaecology—156 beds). **Theatre Departmental Sister.** S.R.N., S.C.M. Re or non-resident.

NIGHT SISTERS

CITY HOSPITAL, HUCKNALL ROAD, NOTTINGHAM (General—811 Two required to work under direction of Night Superintendent. In cha sections. Resident or non-resident.

WOMEN'S HOSPITAL, PEEL STREET, NOTTINGHAM (Obstetric Gynaecology—156 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

THEATRE SISTERS

CITY HOSPITAL, HUCKNALL ROAD, NOTTINGHAM (General—811 Two required. Resident or non-resident.

WOMEN'S HOSPITAL, PEEL STREET, NOTTINGHAM (Obstetric Gynaecology—156 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

SISTERS

CITY HOSPITAL, HUCKNALL ROAD, NOTTINGHAM (General—811 Sister for Premature Baby Unit. Applicants must be S.R.N. and S.C.M. Ma Department—135 beds). Also **Plastic Unit** Sister, and Sister for Gynaec Ward, S.R.N. and S.C.M., also two Relief Ward Sisters. Resident or non-re

ELLERSLIE HOUSE HOSPITAL, GREGORY BOULEVARD, NOTTIN (Chronic Sick—20 beds). Ward Sister. S.R.N. Resident.

KING'S MILL HOSPITAL, MANSFIELD ROAD, SUTTON-IN-ASHF (172 beds). Ward Sister, S.R.N.; also Sister for busy Female Surgical W 25 beds. S.R.N. Vacancy occurs in January. Resident or non-resident.

RANSOME HOSPITAL, RAINWORTH, Nr. MANSFIELD (203 Ward Sister, S.R.N. and B.T.A. Certificates, for newly opened "upp Women's Ward. Resident.

WOMEN'S HOSPITAL, PEEL STREET, NOTTINGHAM (Obstetric Gynaecology—156 beds). Maternity Ward Sister. S.R.N., S.C.M. Resi non-resident.

STAFF NURSES

CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL, CHESTNUT GROVE, NOTTINGHAM (L 136 beds). For theatre. R.S.C.N. and/or S.R.N. Female. Resident pr

CITY HOSPITAL, HUCKNALL ROAD, NOTTINGHAM (General—811 **Male Staff Nurses,** non-resident, for Thoracic Surgery, Medical and Surgic Orthopaedic Wards.

RANSOME HOSPITAL, RAINWORTH, Nr. MANSFIELD (203 S.R.N. or B.T.A. Certificate. Facilities for taking B.T.A. Certificate if d Female. Resident or non-resident.

RETFORD HOSPITAL, RETFORD (48 beds). Female, resident or non-re for alternate day and night duty.

WOMEN'S HOSPITAL, PEEL STREET, NOTTINGHAM (Obstetric Gynaecology—156 beds). S.R.N. Female. Resident or non-resident.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

CITY HOSPITAL, HUCKNALL ROAD, NOTTINGHAM (General—811 Female, resident or non-resident, for Plastic Unit.

KILTON HOSPITAL, WORKSOP (General—190 beds). Female. Resi non-resident.

SHERWOOD HOSPITAL, HUCKNALL ROAD, NOTTINGHAM (Chron Geriatric—358 beds). Full-time and part-time. Male, non-resident. R resident or non-resident.

MIDWIFERY SISTERS

CITY HOSPITAL, HUCKNALL ROAD, NOTTINGHAM (General—811 Two required. S.R.N. and S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

KILTON HOSPITAL, WORKSOP (General—190 beds). Busy ma department of 30 beds. Excellent experience. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF MIDWIVES

CITY HOSPITAL, HUCKNALL ROAD, NOTTINGHAM (General—811 S.R.N. and S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

FIRS MATERNITY HOSPITAL, MANSFIELD ROAD, SHER NOTTINGHAM (Maternity—40 beds). S.C.M. and S.R.N. Resi non-resident.

KILTON HOSPITAL, WORKSOP (General—190 beds). Busy ma department of 30 beds. Excellent experience. Staff urgently required. Re or non-resident.

WOMEN'S HOSPITAL, PEEL STREET, NOTTINGHAM (Obstetric Gynaecology—156 beds). S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

SHEFFIELD REGIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD—(Contd.)

LINCOLNSHIRE

ADMINISTRATIVE SISTERS

LOUTH AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, CROWTREE LANE, LOUTH (Acute nd Maternity—59 beds). Relief Administrative Sister. Resident. C.M.B. ertificate required. Busy hospital.

DEPARTMENTAL SISTERS

SCARTHO ROAD HOSPITAL, GRIMSBY (Mainly Acute—229 beds). For sychiatric Ward. Resident or non-resident.

NIGHT SISTERS

COUNTY HOSPITAL, LOUTH (Mainly Acute—215 beds). S.R.N. and S.C.M. S.R.N. only. Resident or non-resident.

SCARTHO ROAD HOSPITAL, GRIMSBY (Mainly Acute—229 beds). S.R.N. esident or non-resident.

SISTERS

WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, SCUNTHORPE (Acute—262 beds). For ut-patient Department. Second in seniority. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF NURSES

GLANFORD HOSPITAL, BRIGG (Partly Acute—80 beds). Female. Resident non-resident.

SCARTHO ROAD HOSPITAL, GRIMSBY (Mainly Acute—229 beds). **Female,** R.N., resident or non-resident. Also **Male,** non-resident, for G.U. work.

STAFF MIDWIVES

LOUTH AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL, CROWTREE LANE, LOUTH (Acute— beds). Two required. Full-time or part-time. Resident or non-resident.

DERBYSHIRE

STAFF NURSES

DERBYSHIRE HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN, FRIAR GATE, DERBY (72 beds). e for night duty. Female. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF MIDWIVES

HOLBROOK MATERNITY HOME, HOLBROOK, Nr. DERBY (24 beds). sident or non-resident.

LEICESTERSHIRE AND RUTLAND

SISTER TUTOR

LEICESTER ROYAL INFIRMARY, LEICESTER (Acute—602 beds). e of five. Sister Tutor Certificate. Experience of block system of nurse ucation. Resident or non-resident.

HOME SISTER

LEICESTER ROYAL INFIRMARY, LEICESTER (Acute—602 beds). **istant Home Sister.** One of two. S.R.N. Resident.

NIGHT SISTERS

LEICESTER GENERAL HOSPITAL, GWENDOLEN ROAD, LEICESTER (4 beds). One of four. Theatre experience. Vacancy in February. Resident non-resident.

THEATRE SISTERS

LEICESTER ROYAL INFIRMARY, LEICESTER (Acute—602 beds). ree required. Theatre experience an advantage. Resident or non-resident.

SISTERS

LEICESTER ROYAL INFIRMARY, LEICESTER (Acute—602 beds). **thopaedic Sister for Fracture Clinic.** S.R.N. and Orthopaedic Certificate and erience essential. Also **Relief Sister for Recovery Homes.** S.R.N. Resident or -resident.

STAFF NURSES

FIELDING JOHNSON PRIVATE HOSPITAL, REGENT ROAD, LEICESTER beds). For private patients' floor. Resident or non-resident.

LEICESTER ROYAL INFIRMARY, LEICESTER (Acute—602 beds). Theatres, Fracture Clinic, Eye Wards, new Casualty Department, Out-patient artment, Recovery Homes. Resident or non-resident.

STATE ENROLLED ASSISTANT NURSES

FIELDING JOHNSON PRIVATE HOSPITAL, REGENT ROAD, LEICESTER beds). For private patients' floor. Female. Resident or non-resident.

STAFF MIDWIVES

LEICESTER ROYAL INFIRMARY, LEICESTER (602 beds). Four required. ormal Midwifery Unit, 10 beds. S.R.N., S.C.M. Resident or non-resident.

MENTAL NURSING VACANCIES

WARD SISTERS

ST. CATHERINE'S INSTITUTION, TICKHILL ROAD, DONCASTER (Mental Deficiency—540 beds). Two required. Resident or non-resident. Candidates must be qualified in mental deficiency or mental nursing.

PUPIL MIDWIVES

CITY HOSPITAL, DERBY (260 beds, including 66 Maternity). Part I Training Courses commence February, May, August and November each year. Part II training can be arranged, if desired.

CITY HOSPITAL, HUCKNALL ROAD, NOTTINGHAM (General—811 beds). Maternity Department—135 beds. Six months' course for Part I Midwifery commencing on 1st February, May, August and November each year. Each course has one study day per week. Candidates must be S.R.N. Part II may be taken at the Firs Maternity Hospital which is an associated hospital. Resident.

CITY GENERAL HOSPITAL, SHEFFIELD, 5 (680 beds). Part I. S.R.N. or R.S.C.N. Qualified Midwifery Tutor. Instruction given in Inhalation Analgesia and the care of premature babies. Study day system in operation. Next vacancies occur 18th January, 1957. Facilities for Part II training available. Hospital pleasantly situated in spacious grounds convenient to city centre and Derbyshire beauty spots. Resident.

MOORGATE GENERAL HOSPITAL, ROTHERHAM (355 beds. 38 cots). Part II Training School. Vacancies March, 1957. Resident.

NETHER EDGE HOSPITAL, SHEFFIELD, 11 (402 beds). Part II. Experience given in all departments of a modern unit of 76 beds including a Premature Baby Unit. Pupils may be resident or non-resident during the three months in hospital. Facilities for study and recreation. Option to return to hospital for further revision until examination. Schools commence 1st March, 1st June and 1st September. District training within the city of Sheffield and the county of West Riding.

NIGHTINGALE AND QUEEN MARY MATERNITY HOMES, DERBY. Part II Training Courses commence 1st March, June, September, December.

THE LEICESTER ROYAL INFIRMARY MATERNITY HOSPITAL, CAUSEWAY LANE, LEICESTER (50 beds). Pupils are accepted for Part I Midwifery Training (six months' course). Courses commence 1st and 14th of May, August, November and February. Obstetric and paediatric lectures given by specialists and sister tutors. Study day scheme of midwifery education in operation. Good experience available in the care of premature babies and Human Milk Bank. Accommodation is separate from the hospital and is within five minutes' walk of the city centre. Resident.

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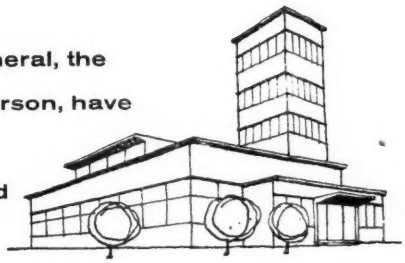

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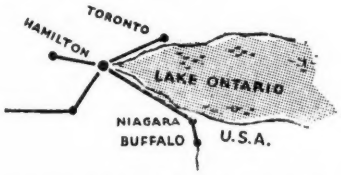

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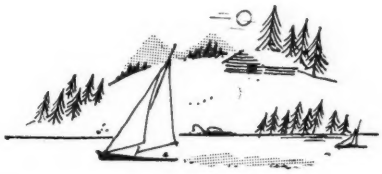

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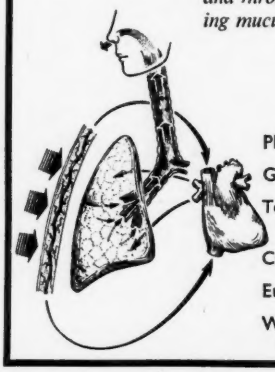

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